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## PEACE TERMS TO BE SIGNED MONDAY ON AGREEMENT MADE AT VILLAGE OF BAGHTCHE

Bombardment of Scutari Fortress Resumed by Montenegrins  
—King Nicholas Left for Grusa to Superintend Operations of Besieged Army—Grand Vizer is Received in Audience by Sultan and Visits Ambassadors

London, Nov. 30.—News has been received in Vienna that peace between Turkey and the Balkan allies would be signed on Monday by the plenipotentiaries at Baghtche, according to a news agency dispatch from the Austrian capital.

London, Nov. 30.—A slight relaxation of tension in the international political situation came to-day with the optimistic announcement from official sources in Constantinople that the negotiations between the Bulgarian and Turkish plenipotentiaries at the village of Baghtche were likely to result in a speedy signature being written to the terms of an armistice.

The real menace to European peace, however, in the shape of the Austro-Serbian difficulty, still persists. The assertions of the rulers of Austria-Hungary and Russia, the great empires most immediately concerned, that they desire to maintain peace, have not put an end to the active preparations for war. Diplomats feel that once hostilities have been definitely adjourned, and the allied Balkan nations are in a position to calculate their gains there will be a much better chance of bridging the gulf at present separating Austria-Hungary and Serbia. It is thought generally that Bulgaria would then be in a better position to bring her influence to bear in favor of a compromise.

## WAR OVER IN SIX WEEKS, SAYS TIMES

TURKS ARE UNTRAINED  
AND LACK DISCIPLINE

Statement Made in Comment on Speech by Lord Roberts at Kent

London, Nov. 30.—The Times, in commenting on the speech of Lord Roberts, says that the Balkan troubles would be settled decisively in less than six weeks. In the defective organization of the Turkish troops there was not a single element more conspicuous than the unavailing effort to keep half-trained troops in discipline. In concluding, the Times says that the time has unquestionably come for military preparations in Britain to be revised.

Lord Roberts' speech was at the annual dinner of the Society of the Men of Kent, where he said that only those who had actual experience of war could realize the full significance of discipline in the army. It was impossible, he continued, to have discipline among the territorial forces. The territorial forces were armed with a rifle which was inferior to that used by foreign armies, the bullets being less deadly, while the artillery guns were merely a makeshift of inferior power and range.

Switching off from guns to mobilization, the old field marshal declared that the transportation and mobilization of an incomplete supply of trained horses and harness, while they were also insufficiently supplied with boots. They would require also to have six months training after an outbreak of war, before they could be capable of dealing with an invading army.

"In view of the decisive lessons to be learned from the Balkan war," continued Lord Roberts, "could such a scheme for the defence of any nation be more madly conceived than that of the territorial army? The only remedy to this state of affairs was to impose on the citizens the duty of defending their own country."

### ROBBED A GRAVE.

Poteau, Okla., Nov. 30.—G. W. Adkins, a Baptist preacher, was convicted here yesterday on the charge of having robbed the grave of Wiley Kincaid, a wealthy Indian, who was buried near Brazil, Okla., more than fifty years ago. It is said a large amount of money was buried with Kincaid's body in accordance with the terms of his will. The jury was unable to agree on a prison sentence for Adkins, who is 56 years old.

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Bombardment of Scutari.  
Rieka, Montenegro, Nov. 30.—The bombardment of the Turkish fortress of Scutari was resumed by the Montenegrins to-day. Their artillery has been reinforced.

King Nicholas, with his staff, has left for Grusa, near Scutari, to superintend the operations of the besieged army.

The Montenegrin government has designated three delegates to proceed to Sofia to take part in the peace negotiations.

Montana at Port Said.  
Washington, Nov. 30.—The cruiser Montana reached Port Said to-day on her journey to the coast of Asia Minor to protect Americans. The Tennessee which left Malta yesterday will arrive at Smyrna to-morrow.

Constantinople, Nov. 30.—The council of ministers was in session from 9 o'clock until 10 o'clock. It was called to discuss a report submitted to Kiamil Pasha, the Grand Vizer, by Osman Nizami Pasha, Senator Damed-ferig and Mustapha Pechad Bey, minister of the interior, who went to Baghtche yesterday morning and conferred with the peace plenipotentiaries and returned to the capital this afternoon.

Prior to the meeting of the council of ministers the Grand Vizer was received in audience by the Sultan and also visited the British and Russian ambassadors.

It is believed that an armistice extending over fourteen days will be signed within a few days.

## TO REMAIN CLOSED ONE HUNDRED YEARS

SEALED PARCHMENT  
SENT FROM ENGLAND

Modern History Records Association Receives Gift From Historian and Economist

New York, Nov. 30.—One of the unusual offerings of the annual convention of the Modern History Records Association here is a sealed parchment sent to the association by Frederick Harrison, English historian and economist.

The trustees of the organization are directed to watch over the envelope and see that it remains unopened for at least one hundred years. It is expected that the enclosure is in the nature of a prophecy, based on a study of present conditions.

Five forms of "permanent records" are being preserved by the association—terra cotta tablets, phonographic records made of indestructible clay, photographic positives on glass, parchments and portrait busts.

### NEWSPAPER PUBLICITY LAW.

Washington, Nov. 30.—Former Assistant Attorney-General James M. Beck filed to-day in the supreme court his brief in the case brought by the Lewis Publishing Company to test the constitutionality of the newspaper publicity law.

### MOTOR BOAT ACCIDENT.

Belleville, Ont., Nov. 29.—Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Sweeney, aged respectively 41 and 46 years, were drowned in the Bay of Quinte yesterday. The couple were in a motor boat when the craft came into a cove which was frozen over and the ice cut the boat so that it filled and sank.

### NESBITT'S TRIAL.

Toronto, Ont., Nov. 29.—Assistant Crown Attorney Thurston denies the suggestion that the crown are doubtful of the legality of the indictment against Beattie Nesbitt, on which he was extradited from Chicago. The case, he says, will go on at the January assizes.

### SUFFOCATED BY GAS.

Toronto, Ont., Nov. 29.—Andrew Latta, aged 67, was found dead this morning suffocated by gas in a room at 83 Anne street. Latta had been visiting his sister in Brookdale, Manitoba, all summer, and was on his way to his home in Belleville.

## COMPETITION OVER DAWSON TRAFFIC

Northern Commercial Company Has Taken Up White Pass Company's Gauntlet

Dawson, Y. T., Nov. 30.—The Northern Commercial Company, the pioneer lower Yukon trading and transportation company, has taken up the gauntlet thrown down by the White Pass Company and announces that it will make a fight for the Dawson general traffic next year.

Manager Laning says the company soon will announce rates satisfactory to shippers. He intimated that the rates may be cut in two or deeper, but gave no definite figures. The Northern Commercial Company has been making an effort to get Dawson business for years, but since the White Pass announced broadcast in the last few months its intention to place steamers on the lower Yukon, and fight for the open port, Fairbanks, meaning an invasion of the Northern Commercial field, war is promised to the bit. President Dickson, of the White Pass, recently said his company will put two new boats on the lower river this year.

## LONDON INTEREST IN POLO MATCHES

GAMES IN AMERICA  
DURING THE SUMMER

Burlingham Club Challenge Team to Be Financed by Duke of Westminster

London, Nov. 30.—Great interest has been aroused here by the challenge sent by the Burlingham Polo Club to the American Polo Association to play a series of games for the American cup. Eight or ten of England's best players will go over to the United States so that in case of accidents there will be plenty of men on hand to step into the gap. The team, under the captaincy of Walter S. Buckmaster, probably will be selected from Lord Wodehouse, Captain G. E. Belleville, Captain Leslie St. Cheape, Captain J. Harris Lloyd, Captain R. C. Ritson and F. M. Freake, while Captain F. St. J. Atkinson and A. Schreiber, with one or two others, will be asked to make the trip. Some of the team have wonderful records. Walter S. Buckmaster acquired fame with the old Canabys team, the winner of the Burlingham cup last summer. Captain Cheape was a great player with the team of 1911 and Captain Ritson has a fine Indian reputation.

Under the new agreement the matches, it is understood, will be played between June 1 and July 8, or as soon thereafter as the weather permits so that the British team will have some time in America before the matches are played.

The Duke of Westminster, who will defray the entire cost of the British team's visit to America, always has possessed a good stable. He has added to it by purchase during the season and is still on the lookout for more good ponies, while it is probable that they will be lent for the Anglo-American matches.

H. Payne Whitney and other American players were in England during the summer and were said to be on the lookout for good ponies. The papers made an appeal to English owners to give the Duke of Westminster the first refusal of any they had for sale.

New York, Nov. 30.—The American Polo Association probably will accept the challenge of the Burlingham Polo Club of England for a series of games for the American cup to be played in this country next year. W. A. Hazard, secretary of the American Association, who received notice by cable last night that the challenge had been mailed, said to-day that the executive committee will take action on its receipt.

## CHINESE TROOPS GIVEN WELCOME

Find Camps Prepared on Entering Mongolian City of Roldo Without Resistance

St. Petersburg, Nov. 30.—The Mongolian city of Roldo has been occupied by the Chinese troops without resistance from the inhabitants, according to a dispatch to the Novoe Vremya from Urga, the capital of Mongolia.

The tribesmen in the vicinity laid down their arms willingly. They had been supplied with weapons and ammunition by the people of the Khalkas country. When the Chinese troops arrived they even found that the people had prepared a succession of camps for their accommodation.

## SUFFRAGETTES IN MILITANT MOODS

MAGISTRATE TARGET  
FOR A WOMAN'S SHOE

Rev. Forbes Jackson Mistaken for Chancellor and Slashed Across Face With Whip

Aberdeen, Scotland, Nov. 30.—Militant suffragettes brought about two scenes of extreme violence to-day, in which a woman's shoe and a horse-whip were used as weapons.

The first outbreak occurred when three of the women, Joyce Locke, Venny Parker and Mary Pollock, who had been caught last evening in possession of explosives in the music hall, where Chancellor Lloyd-George was to speak, were brought up before the magistrates.

After hearing the evidence the magistrate remanded them for further inquiry. As he informed them of this, Joyce Locke removed her shoes, and hurled one of them at the magistrate's head, and then threw the other at the head of the clerk of the court. She was promptly committed for contempt of court.

The second outrage was committed by one of the members of a party of suffragettes who were waiting at the railroad station for the departure of Chancellor Lloyd-George. The woman mistook the Rev. Forbes Jackson for the chancellor of the exchequer in disguise, and lashed him across the face with a heavy horse-whip. She was at once arrested.

## NELSON CHURCHES PRESS FOR ROYAL COMMISSION ON CRIMINAL ADMINISTRATION

Four Denominations Telegraph Joint Desire to Endorse Vancouver Action Against Attorney-General Bowser—Disclosure Made of Letter Held From Publication After the Closed Door Meeting at Vancouver

Vancouver, Nov. 30.—That government protection of women of a criminal class is not confined to Vancouver, but is part of a province-wide policy pursued under the direction of the attorney-general is disclosed by information that has come from various quarters since the famous closed door conference on the subject between Hon. W. J. Bowser and the Vancouver Ministerial Association.

As a matter of fact, a letter containing such information was read to the attorney-general at the conference on Tuesday, but the cautious Bowser press agent was careful not to include it in the report furnished to government newspapers. The letter was read during the discussion to establish the claim made by one of the clergymen present that the attitude of the attorney-general toward the particular crime under discussion was the same through British Columbia.

The feeling of dissatisfaction with the administration of the criminal code is not confined to Vancouver, as evidenced by a telegram received yesterday by Principal Vance from the Ministerial Association of Nelson, representing Anglican, Presbyterian, Baptist and Methodist churches, stating that that body supported the movement in Vancouver, and unanimously endorsed the statements in Rev. Logie's letter and presses for a royal commission.

The letter referred to as read at the conference on Tuesday is as follows: "Replying to your questions regarding conditions and law enforcement in the city of Nelson, I speak with reserve and full knowledge of the facts mentioned."

"Pit rooms, gambling with slot machines, cigar stores, candy stores and drug stores, the latter selling merchandise, are open and doing business on the Sabbath day."

"The chief of police is in sympathy with law enforcement, and the police magistrate will discharge his duty, and to appoint a judge to take evidence, and you are at liberty to lay this letter before him or any other person or persons."

Rev. E. Lealie Pidgeon, D.D., brother of Rev. J. C. Pidgeon, D.D., to whom the letter was addressed, last night commented upon the conditions laid bare in the communication, saying: "More evidence could be produced," said Dr. Pidgeon, "to prove that this government protection is a province-wide policy."

Spokane, Wash., Nov. 29.—Principally with discussion and action on the final report of the committee on resolutions the fifteenth session of the American Mining Congress is scheduled to close its labors to-day. One of the chief matters yet to be acted on was the framing of a law to be passed by the States providing for the compensation of employees in case of accident.

### WELL ARMED AND READY.

London, Nov. 30.—Speaking on the naval question at Gloucester last night, Lord Selborne said that it behooved Britain to take to heart the moral of the Balkan war, to be well-armed and ready.

"Our foremost necessity is the efficiency and strength of the navy. If we do not retain the command of the sea the army will be of no use, because we could be starved into submission," he said.

## CONTRACT MADE ON SUNDAY IS ILLEGAL

COURT RULING OVER  
CASE IN VANCOUVER

Carpenter's Suit Dismissed Because He Looked Work Over on Sabbath

Vancouver, Nov. 30.—Because a carpenter named Bond had visited a house on Sunday to look at a proposed job he was asked to figure on, his honor Judge Grant yesterday dismissed his suit for the recovery of \$68 for the work, holding that the contract was an illegal one, having been entered upon on a Sunday.

The contract in question was the completion of an attic in a house at Grandview for the defendant, Mr. Cox, who had declined to pay the bill, alleging that on Sunday morning when Bond came to look at the work he had told him that it would cost no more than \$50.

The wife of the defendant corroborated her husband's story. On hearing this part of the evidence his honor promptly dismissed the case, holding that any contract made on a Sunday was outside the law.

Mr. Cox before the trial had paid the sum of \$50 into court, and his counsel, Mr. Hurley, at once applied to have the money returned, but his honor declined to make an order for the payment out of the money, saying that as the transaction had been an illegal one the court would have nothing at all to do with it.

## INCREASE OF MIXED ONTARIO MARRIAGES

Roman Catholics Marrying Outside Their Church Two Per Cent. More

Toronto, Nov. 30.—Mixed marriages are increasing in Ontario, despite the strenuous efforts of the church organizations to turn the trend the other way. The annual report of the registrar-general for 1911 shows an increase of 2 per cent. in the number of Roman Catholics marrying outside their church.

In 1910 there were 7,351 Roman Catholics married, and of this number 1,509 entered into mixed marriages. The number who made mixed marriages last year was only ten more than in 1910, but the number of Roman Catholics who entered into matrimony was but 6,743. Of these 1,519, or 22.5 per cent. married outside their church.

The Methodist denominations headed the marriage list with a percentage of 28.3. The Presbyterians followed closely with 20.4 per cent., and the Anglican third with 20.9 per cent.

## NEW WESTMINSTER LIBERAL OFFICERS

M. A. MACDONALD ON  
GOVERNMENT POWER

Financial Policy Criticized—Half for Public Purpose and Half for Service

New Westminster, Nov. 30.—The annual meeting of the Westminster Liberal Association last night brought the re-election of George Kennedy to the office of president. Following the election of the officers there was an address by M. A. Macdonald, the chairman of the new committee for the reorganization of the Liberal party in the province.

M. A. Macdonald made a strong complaint regarding the power of the present government.

"There is no province in Canada," he said, "with a greater dearth of legislation."

Criticizing the financial policy of the government, Mr. Macdonald ventured the remark that for every dollar that went into the provincial treasury, fifty cents of it was for public purposes, and not more than fifty cents for public service.

The election of officers resulted as follows: Honorary president, Sir Wilfrid Laurier; president, George Kennedy; first vice-president, J. B. Jardine; second vice-president, H. Gilley; third vice-president, George McKay; executive, J. S. Bryson, D. W. McAdam, D. McPherson, H. Buckland, J. Reid and W. L. Johnston.

### TELEGRAPH MAN DIES.

Milwaukee, Wis., Nov. 30.—Hiram C. McGill, 53 years old, superintendent of the second division, Postal Telegraph Company, with headquarters in Chicago, died early to-day at a Milwaukee hospital, following a short illness, the result of stomach trouble.

An effort to save Mr. McGill's life by the transfusion of a pint of blood from the veins of his son was without avail.

### PAYS EXTREME PENALTY.

San Quentin, Cal., Nov. 29.—Sentence of death was executed to-day upon Edward Williams, a half-breed Indian, the tallest man ever hanged in the penitentiary here. He stood six feet seven and was hanged for the murder of a woman named Inez Brooks, whom he shot at Oroville, Cal., October 26, 1911.

## BELMONT OBJECTS TO HIS SON'S WIFE

Couple Disappear While Parent Employs Detectives to Search for Loophole

New York, Nov. 30.—It was learned to-day that August Belmont is trying to find some way of having the marriage of his son, Raymond, to Ethel Lovine, an actress, declared invalid, and that lawyers and private detectives have been employed to find a loophole whereby the young man may be freed from the matrimonial yoke.

While these proceedings have been under way young Belmont and his chorus girl bride have disappeared again. It was said by their friends last night that they would oppose the efforts of the elder Belmont and will persist that they are legally man and wife and cannot be separated.

## REDISTRIBUTION URGENT MATTER

SAYS DR. PUGSLEY IN  
DEBATE ON ADDRESS

Naval Policy and Reciprocity Also Discussed in House of Commons

Ottawa, Nov. 30.—The debate on the address was proceeded with in the House yesterday. It has been agreed that a division, will be taken on Sir Wilfrid Laurier's want of confidence motion relating to the Macdonald and Richelleu bye-elections on Tuesday.

Just what other amendments will follow is not definitely known, but the earliest possible date for the introduction of the government's bill will be Thursday next.

The first speaker to-day was James Mackay, Conservative member for Prince Albert, who dealt more particularly with the Hudson Bay railway and the temporary remission of the cement duties.

The most interesting development of the sitting came in the evening when George Fowler, of Kings, N. B., challenged Sir Wilfrid Laurier, William Pugsley and Hugh Guthrie, of Wellington, to declare their present attitude as to reciprocity. All replied that they were still in favor of it, Sir Wilfrid saying that he was not one of those who had varied their views on the matter.

Mr. D. A. LaPorte, of Montclair, kept the House in good humor until late in the evening with a speech in French. He created general laughter by declaring that it would take a light-house to see a Nationalist now. He had not concluded at 11.15, when the House rose.

Top. William Pugsley quoted figures to show that the savings in the duties to the west by the cut on cement amounted to about \$100,000, and said that this was all the benefit that could be counted. He held that as this benefit came to the cities almost exclusively the government should have made a cut on agricultural machinery to even matters up. He went on to enlarge on the lack of justification for the delay in redistribution. He said cottons might easily arise which would make it desirable to have an appeal to the people on some question. There might even be such a contingency as the representative of the crown dissolving parliament and sending the government to the country.

Turning to the trade of the country, he produced figures to show that the increased trade was growing with the United States, but was far greater in imports than exports. The increase in imports last year he placed at \$71,000,000 and the increase of the exports at but a little over \$1,000,000. The ex-minister dealt at some length with the alleged offer of a marine railway in the Richelleu bye-election.

Mr. Pugsley read in full a speech made by Hon. Mr. Pelletier, the post-master-general, at a Quebec banquet, in which considerable reference was made to the Nationalists and their influence. Mr. Pugsley drew from the post-master-general admission that if the Conservative candidate had been defeated in the elections, the Hon. Mr. Pugsley would have felt constrained to resign in Quebec county and see if his people there were of the same opinion.

Mr. Pugsley said that before this some intimation should have been given as to the information the premier had received in England on the naval question. The House and Senate had been kept in the dark. He read the resolution which was passed in the House on March 20, 1909, on the navy question, and when he finished both sides cheered heartily. He hoped that in cabinet council Mr. Foster, who first brought down the resolution, would urge a truly Canadian navy which in time of stress would render all possible aid to the Empire.

He said that he would urge that we be the debtors to the Empire, and our men. Referring to what the government had done, he said that it had been decided to build a certain number of ships in Canada. They were prepared when the elections were called to let the tenders. A number of big British firms were ready to establish here and to build in Canada. They had decided not to award the contracts until after the elections. The Conservatives found these tenders and amongst them was one from Campbell, Laird & Co., of Scotland. They were prepared to build vessels and establish yards at St. John. By not going ahead with these contracts the government had struck a blow at the constituency. Further shipbuilding plants could be established on the Pacific coast and even on the Great Lakes. He expressed the hope that the policy laid down in 1909 would not be departed from, and that it will be begun on as large a scale as necessary, so that there would be a navy of real strength to the Empire in time of danger.

"I am of the opinion," he declared, "that if the proposal is to give a contribution in money to England, then we are hiring the people of England to do the work we should have the courage to do ourselves." Mr. Pugsley declared that the reason the policy had not been brought down was because a secret pledge had been made to the Nationalists that they would submit the question to the people. He asked the government to break away entirely from

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## INCREASED VOLUME OF SEATTLE GOLD

United States Assay Office Received \$630,000 From Northern Output

Seattle, Nov. 30.—Inclusive of \$43,000 in gold bars and \$12,000 in gold dust, received yesterday, the United States assay office in Seattle received \$630,000 in northern gold during the month of November, which exceeds the record of November a year ago by \$420,000. Receipts during the last three months have compared very favorably with the same months of last year, presaging a fairly good showing for the year.

## WAR NOT JUSTIFIED.

London, Nov. 30.—In a speech at a banquet given in his honor last night Right Hon. Winston Churchill, First Lord of the Admiralty, said that while a strong feeling naturally existed between Russia and Austria over the Balkan question, a resort to war by them would be a horror utterly disproportionate to any cause existing or any compensation that might be achieved.

## PRIVATE RACE TRACK ON R. A. LONG'S FARM

Kansas Millionaire Fitting Out Plant With Polo Ground in Infield

Kansas City, Mo., Nov. 30.—Miss Laura Long, daughter of R. A. Long, a millionaire of this city, announced today that her father would build a private racing plant to cost a half million dollars on his 1,200-acre farm near this city. A half-mile race-track will be made and the infield will be fitted up for polo. The plant includes a large tan-bark arena, where Miss Long, who is prominent in horse show circles, expects to exercise her horses.

A large country house will be built on the place. Miss Long said the improvements would be completed early next summer.

## SIR EDWARD GREY.

London, Nov. 30.—Sir Edward Grey, the British foreign secretary, is spending the week-end with the United States ambassador at Wrest Park.



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## MAN CARRIES BULLET HOURS IN SHOULDER

Albert Bailey in Hospital as Result of Quarrel With Employer at Ballard Mill

Seattle, Nov. 30.—Albert Bailey, a teamster, 41 years old, was shot and seriously wounded by his employer, C. H. Sanders, president of the Ballard Mill, Wood & Coal Company, at 4:30 o'clock last evening. Bailey walked twenty blocks to his home with the bullet in his left shoulder shattered, and said nothing of his wound to his aged mother for several hours. After Bailey's wound had been dressed he was sent to the city hospital. The bullet entered the left shoulder, ranged downward, shattered the upper bone in the arm and lodged in the flesh. Sanders, at the Ballard police station, where he is held, said that Bailey struck him on the head with a piece of wood. Sanders then proceeded to put Bailey out of his office and fired once in the air. He said he did not know he had wounded Bailey.

## REDISTRIBUTION URGENT MATTER

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The Nationalists, and not even to be tied in this respect. He declared that the ministers made silly, mischievous speeches in England designed to influence the Nationalist wing. They went to England hunting an emergency, and as far as they could find had not yet found it. If the government would bring down a strong Canadian navy, controlled by the people of Canada and ready for the Empire's assistance, it would get the support of all Liberals of all the provinces.

Mr. George W. Bowler followed. He congratulated the minister on the form of his address, but not on this matter. He had misrepresented and distorted facts and when he had no facts he relied on his fertile imagination. He briefly referred to the reciprocity question and said that reciprocity would give no relief. As for redistribution, if they followed the Liberals' example there would be no bill until 1914. Coming to reciprocity, he declared the Conservatives were not opposed to trade with the United States, but proposed to deal on terms fair to ourselves as well as to them. He would be glad to see all the manufactures which were imported from the United States manufactured in Canada. He asked if the manufacturer were not a producer of wealth.

"I would like to ask my honorable friend if he is in favor of reciprocity?" Mr. Pugsley: "Yes, most assuredly."

"I am glad to extract an answer from him. I would like the leader of the opposition if he is still in favor of reciprocity?" asked Mr. Fowler.

"We are a united party," replied Sir Wilfrid Laurier.

"I would like to ask the member for South Wellington how he stands?" went on Mr. Fowler.

"I was in favor of reciprocity, and still am."

The first incident of the day was the introduction of Hon. Louis Coderre, the new secretary of state, who came into the chamber between Premier Borden and Hon. L. P. Pelletier. He received a warm welcome from the Conservative members. Mr. Coderre's desk was decorated with a bouquet of roses.

W. F. Maclean asked when the papers in connection with the West Indian agreement would be brought down.

Hon. George E. Foster said they would be tabled as soon as the debate on the address is concluded.

Hon. William Pugsley drew the attention of the ministers to the request of the Montreal Corn Exchange that I. C. R. cars be sent to the lake ports to relieve the grain congestion. He asked if the minister had given this matter his consideration and if any action had been taken. No one replied.

## WIFE IS DEAD AND HUSBAND IS DYING

San Francisco Police Inquiring Into Tragedy of Italian Colony Last Night

San Francisco, Nov. 30.—Mrs. Leonor Niccoli, 18 years old, and a bride of three months, is dead, and her husband, Silvio Niccoli, is in a hospital with a bullet in his brain, as the result of a mysterious shooting last night at the home of the couple. Police detectives are of the opinion that Niccoli shot his wife and then himself, but they say there is virtually as much reason for believing that the woman was the murderer. So far there is nothing to indicate that the shooting was done by a third person. Niccoli was a cement contractor, and his wife was a bolt of the Italian colony.

## POLAND AGAINST RUSSIA.

London, Nov. 30.—Pamphlets have been distributed in the streets of Warsaw calling upon people to celebrate the anniversary of the Polish revolution of 1830 by declaring that the Polish nation must take active measures against Russia.

## NEGRO LYNCHED.

Cordele, Ga., Nov. 30.—Chestley Williams, a negro, who shot two white women near Rhine and assaulted one of them, was dragged from the courthouse at McRae by a mob to-day and lynched.

## KOREAN WAS FIRM DESPITE BEATING

Police Examiners Questioned Man Regarding Alleged Talk With White Men

Seoul, Korea, Nov. 30.—The first mention of foreigners since the beginning of the new trial of the 106 Koreans charged with conspiring against the life of Count Teruchi, Japanese governor-general of Korea, was made today by one of the four prisoners who were called to the stand. This man said the police examiners had questioned him as to whether he had consulted the Rev. Dr. George S. McCune, the head of the Syen Chuen college, or Dr. A. M. Sharrock, the head of the hospital in Syen Chuen, or whether he had deposited a pistol with the foreigners. The accused man declared that he had steadfastly denied these allegations throughout, even though he had been beaten.

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## OIL BURNERS ASKED IN SOUTH OKANAGAN

KETTLE VALLEY LINE  
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Penticton Municipality Would  
Protect Watershed Areas  
and Fruit Orchards.

Vancouver, Nov. 29.—That in order to protect the watershed areas in the South Okanagan and thus ensure a sufficient and properly regulated water distribution to the various fruit orchards, the Kettle River Railway Company should equip its engines with oil burners, was the force of an application made to the railway commission this morning by Mr. W. A. Macdonald, K. C., representing the municipality of Penticton, the South Kelowna Land Company, Canyon Creek Irrigation Company, Penticton Lumber Company and Naramata Townsite Company.

W. R. Pooley, of the South Kelowna Land Company, pointed out that forest fires in that district would soon deplete the watershed areas of their timber growth and as a result allow the snow in the spring to melt too rapidly for the purposes of the irrigation companies and the fruit ranchers.

Commissioner Drayton questioned the validity of the application, pointing out that the board had little authority to deal with such a matter under the act unless the railway was found to be in fault with regard to forest fires. Until this line was built and in operation, the board therefore could hardly make such an order, he thought. He asked Mr. Macdonald, however, to submit a written argument on the legal aspect of the case and in the meantime the evidence and views of President and General Manager Warren, of the railway company, will be received at Penticton. The importance of the proposals was commented upon by the chairman and this led Mr. Macdonald to remark that possibly these steps could be taken by the authorities to have the railway act cover cases of this nature.

## IDENTIFIED BY GIRL

FROM WITNESS BOX

Two in Dynamite Trials  
Picked Out in Connection  
With Randall Explosion

Indianapolis, Ind., Nov. 29.—As the youngest witness yet to testify, Miss Cleo Beard, 14 years old, picked out from the forty-five defendants at the "dynamite conspiracy" trial to-day, two men whom she said she saw shortly before an explosion at North Randall, Ohio, on March 25, 1911. In that explosion an ore conveyor was blown up by nitro-glycerine with \$50,000 damage.

The little witness, garbed in a pink dress, climbed the high witness chair and, looking toward the accused "bomb plotters," told her story. She said, with her sister, she was going along a lonely road toward her home at North Randall.

"It was just before dark," she said. "On the road we met the men who were carrying a box between them. The men were coming toward Randall from the direction of Cleveland. One of them had a funny face," said the girl and pointed to George Anderson, Cleveland, a defendant. "He's the one that carried the box. And there's another one," she added, pointing to Peter J. Smith, Cleveland. "We hadn't been home more than an hour when the explosion, a mile away, knocked the dishes off the table."

Laura Beard, 18 years old, also identified the men, Anderson and Smith, ironworkers, who are accused by the government with having blown up the North Randall job because it was erected on the "open-shop" basis.

The box which the sisters testified they saw in the hands of Smith and Anderson was produced in court and was identified by other witnesses as having been found in the wreckage of the explosion.

## MEDICAL ASSOCIATION.

Ottawa, Nov. 30.—Parliament is to be asked to incorporate the Canadian medical Protective Association, having for its object, among other things, "the support and protection of the honor, character, and interests of its members, the encouragement of honorable practice, the giving of active assistance to members of the association in cases where proceedings are unjustly brought or threatened against them."

## MAY LOWER PRICE.

Spokane, Wash., Nov. 29.—To organize on a co-operative basis so that the price of apples to the consumer may be reduced, at the same time insuring adequate returns to the grower, representatives of various apple-producing districts in Washington, Oregon, Idaho and Montana will meet in Spokane on December 16.

## GERMAN AIR FLEET.

Berlin, Nov. 30.—Germany is planning to create an air fleet consisting at first of twenty Zeppelin dirigibles of 200,000 cubic feet capacity and a speed of 50 miles an hour, capable of remaining aloft for four days without landing. Each airship will carry one ton of explosives.

## MAN BELIEVES HE IS DYNAMITER

German With Box of Battery  
Coils Now in Hands of  
Tacoma Doctors

Tacoma, Wash., Nov. 30.—Armed with a box fashioned to resemble an infernal machine, and announcing he was one of the McNamara dynamiters and planned a series of explosions in Tacoma, Charles Hueltner, a German, was arrested here today and placed in the county jail pending an examination by a lunacy commission. It is believed his mind has been affected by reading the testimony in the dynamiting cases.

Shortly before his arrest, Hueltner walked into a C street saloon, carrying the box under his arm. It contained a number of electric batteries. Wires protruded from the side of the box. Hueltner explained it was an infernal machine and that by connecting the wires with an explosive he could blow the block to pieces. He declared he was connected with the McNamara. The saloon patrons feared he was an imitator of Carl Riedelbach, the German who walked into the Los Angeles police department with an infernal machine and terrorized the whole force. As they were about to call for the police, a patrolman entered the saloon, seized Hueltner and quickly separated him from the box.

## MAY CALL MEETING OF GREAT POWERS

United States Influence in War  
Matters Has Been Appreciated in France

Paris, Nov. 30.—It is generally understood the United States has taken a quiet but important part in exercising a soothing influence upon Europe, an influence for which France in particular is appreciative. It was learned to-day, however, in principle the suggestion of the British foreign secretary, Sir Edward Grey, that a meeting of the ambassadors of the great powers should be called in one of the European capitals for the discussion of questions arising out of the Balkan war.

The favorable manner in which the idea has been received by the powers and especially in Berlin is regarded as a very important step. A striking feature of the crisis has been the close union of France and Germany in all the efforts directed toward calming the warlike feeling that has been displayed in different sections of Europe.

## NEW BANK MANAGER.

Vancouver, Nov. 30.—T. P. Phoebe, new manager of the Montreal branch of Molton's Bank, has been appointed manager of the Vancouver branch and inspector of western branches, according to an announcement made to-day by James H. Campbell, present manager of the Vancouver branch.

## YOUTH STOLE FORTUNE.

Pensacola, Fla., Nov. 30.—William Bell, aged 18, until a few weeks ago a trusted clerk in the First National Bank of Pensacola, pleaded guilty to-day to the theft of \$5,000 from the bank on September 18. He was sentenced to two years in the federal reformatory at Washington.

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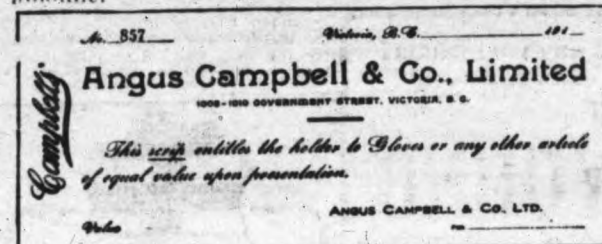
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### VETERAN JOURNALIST'S DEATH.

Mr. J. Haddon Taylor, whose death was announced in the Times last evening, had joined the editorial staff of the paper but a few days before he was seized with the illness which terminated with such startling suddenness. Mr. Taylor was a journalist well known in Eastern Canada, in Great Britain and in Australia, having been connected with such influential newspapers as the Toronto Globe, the Ottawa Free Press, the Montreal Herald and with several of the big newspapers in Australia. For these journals he did notable work, being recognized as a forcible and graceful writer. The severe climate of the East affected his health in later years, and it was on the advice of his physicians that he sought the more genial clime of British Columbia, accepted a position on the Times, and on the day previous to the seizure which terminated fatally was looking forward with pleasure to the work which lay before him in a new sphere of labor, and amid what he heartily admitted were more attractive surroundings. The Times regrets exceedingly that it has lost the services of one whose past career gave such promise of valuable work, and extends its sincere sympathy to Mr. Taylor's family in Montreal.

### ROOSEVELT AND BRYAN.

A striking comparison has been instituted between the climacteric termination of the political careers of William Jennings Bryan and Theodore Roosevelt. That is to say regarding the prestige of either of these quondam foremost citizens and the remarkable political evolution which has brought about their downfall and their elimination from necessary consideration in future developments of the political life of the United States. It was the intrusion of Bryan with his free silver ideas in the convention of 1896 that split the Democratic party. The split resulted in the defeat of that party from year to year until Bryan was "back-numbered," and his leadership no longer recognized. Though he "came back" in this year's convention at Baltimore, it was only as an aggressive political force and not controller of the situation. It was unquestionably the unification of a formerly divided party, a party largely divided by Bryan himself, that made the Democratic success of this year possible.

What Bryan did to the Democrats in 1896 Roosevelt did to the Republicans in 1912. From the moment the Republican convention assembled in Chicago it was apparent to the leaders of that party that the split already begun, and widened beyond repair at the convention, made the election of Taft impossible. The formation of the Progressive party, in its initiation a purely Roosevelt party, made reconciliation impossible. Mr. Roosevelt says he will maintain his party organization in every state and continue his fight against both the great historic parties. But it is unlikely that its existence as a factor in American national politics will ever amount to much. No party founded on personal pique can last long in the stress of the more vitally important economic problems that must be faced by the old parties and solved to some extent along their old party lines. Besides this, Mr. Roosevelt is now too old to gather around him those elements necessary to his party to give it the prestige it must have if it is to oust either of the established organizations.

It is admitted by all the responsible political thinkers in the United States that so long as the Democratic party remains united and the Republican party divided the latter cannot redeem itself from what is practically political oblivion. Also one of the shrewdest Republicans puts it, "You cannot split the Republican party in two and by any process of mathematics figure out a victory against a 'united Democracy.'" It must be admitted, too, that the victory this year has heartened the Democratic party and millions

of formerly half-hearted Democrats will now rally to the standard of their own political group. With sound, cautious, progressive government, such as Mr. Wilson is likely to give, the next four years will undoubtedly place the Democratic principles in a position of pre-eminence from which it will be difficult to dislodge them. This is especially likely to be the case if, during the next four years, a practical demonstration of the soundness of low tariff principles is made. This will be no easy task, as the interests founded upon high tariff policies will make the most desperate struggle to recover their supremacy. Four years is none too long to demonstrate, in the practical affairs of life, the soundness and safety of lower tariffs. Yet it is long enough, and more especially so as the ground has been ploughed and harrowed and is only waiting for the willing and fruitful reception of the good seed of everyday evidence.

An analytical study of the history of political economy in the United States leads us to the conclusion that an epochal period has been reached. It might not have been safe to have had it earlier, but the signs of the times show that the people as a whole are taking a close interest in the science of politics rather than in the triumph of parties. The people as a whole are asking, with a curiosity and keenness never before exhibited, the reason for this and for that in their national and domestic life. There is no doubt that the Democratic victory is the first sign that they have sensed the trail, and their pursuit of the hare will be to a finish.

### CANADA AND U. S. TARIFF REVISION.

It is doubtful how far Canada will benefit by the tariff revision which it is understood will form the principal business of the extra session of the United States congress which President-elect Woodrow Wilson announces he has decided to convene in the spring. Some of the reports from Washington indicate that the session may not be entirely devoted to the tariff, as the democratic leaders in the House are already demanding trust and currency legislation. Should it be decided that these matters shall be embraced in the business to be brought before congress, it may well be doubted whether there will be a general revision of the tariff such as would be likely to give Canadians easier access to any considerable section of the United States markets. The party stands pledged, of course, to the "immediate and downward revision of the existing high and in many cases prohibitive tariff duties," but some authorities appear to think that this might be met by the passing of the bills to reduce the tariff in the cotton, woolen, metals and chemical schedules and the farmers' free-list bill, which were carried through last session and vetoed by President Taft. Senator Williams, of Mississippi, for instance, is on record as saying, "I think we would be stultifying ourselves if after putting the tariff revision bill up to a Republican president, as we did to President Taft last session, we should fail to show our purpose of putting up these necessary revision bills to a Democratic president." While President-elect Wilson is resting at Bermuda the Democrats of the two houses appear to be endeavoring to settle the general programme to be followed at the general session. It seems to be doubtful as yet, however, whether one general tariff revision bill will be introduced or whether each of the tariff schedules submitted last session will be brought in again as a separate bill.

A wonderful automobile route has been built to the summit of Lookout mountain, near Los Angeles, Cal. It is just wide enough for one vehicle, the descent being made by another route. It is at the very edge of the mountain, and at one place six levels may be seen one above the other. The road, which is exceedingly popular, has an easy grade and is said to be perfectly safe.

Women, especially young girls, are rapidly becoming more and more addicted to intoxicating liquors in Washington, while the men are rapidly growing more abstemious, according to Albert E. Shoemaker, attorney for the Anti-saloon League of the District of Columbia. His accusation has aroused women generally there, and it is a subject of animated discussion. Mr. Shoemaker made his charge before the Women's Christian Temperance Union, attributing the increasing activity of women to compete with proprietors of handily fitted-up cafes.

A remarkable transformation of a cat's fur by temperature has been reported. A black cat was accidentally shut in the refrigerating chamber of a mail steamer in Sydney, Australia, harbor, and was not discovered until about thirty-two days later, when the ship was off Aden. The cat was scarcely recognizable, the fur having become long and thick, changing to white on the back. Brought out into the intense heat of the Red Sea, the heavy white coat rapidly fell out and the normal coat was restored. Here is a new clue for the zoologists.

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Years ago the law decided that the police should warn any arrested man of the danger of talking to the officers, as what he said might be taken down and used against him at his trial. It is a question if the time has not come when no attention should be paid to anything an accused man said to the police, except on the advice of his lawyer. Repudiated confessions and charges of "third degree" methods are becoming too common in Canada.

A St. Catherine's wife-beater's plea, when brought before the police magistrate, that he beat his wife because of his great love for her, will not avail in this part of the world. But it is a strange fact that in some parts of Russia wife-beating is regarded as evidence of conjugal affection, and wives sometimes complain that their husbands have left off whipping them, believing that when their husbands spare the lash that is evidence that they have transferred their affections. There is a great work for militant suffragettes in Russia.

As an illustration of the principles animating the Unionist leaders in the British Parliament when dealing with fundamental policies, the case of Sir Edward Carson may be cited with profit. In discussing a clause of the Home Rule Bill dealing with representation in the proposed Irish Parliament Sir Edward said in the House that it was a matter of indifference to him whether the opposition amendment was lost or carried. "All he knew was that the government was opposed to it and his leader favored it, and that was enough to regulate his vote." Thus are the Unionist leaders conscientiously endeavoring to settle a long, bitter and difficult struggle that has been intruded upon the House of Commons. Comment is needless.

The Toronto News, in discussing the subject of municipal debt, makes a sage remark worthy of reproduction. It says: "The debts of the city are discharged from the earnings of the citizens. To say that municipal loans place mortgages on landed property is to use a catch phrase which has no foundation in fact. If land constituted a guarantee for a loan, parks, playgrounds and other properties held by the city and owned by all the citizens, not only by the landed proprietors, would furnish that guarantee." The citizens from whose "earnings" the money to pay civic debts must finally come should weigh these words well before voting to endorse any "fancy" by-laws for civic expenditure which a moribund council may submit.

The Hamilton Herald, an unusually bright paper for the little burgh "under the mountain," discussing British Columbia naval affairs, says: "British Columbia papers say that what is wanted is a Canadian navy on the Pacific coast which, in time of peace, will protect the coast fisheries. They don't appear to consider that a navy which could adequately protect the coast cities in time of war would hardly be suitable for chasing poaching craft. As well keep a battery of artillery in service for the work of catching pickpockets." All that it is necessary to say in reply to this is that the Herald must have been reading one of our backwoods papers. As British Columbia is a big country, it takes the opinions of Sir Richard McBride a long time to filter into the outskirts. The paper was no doubt sincere enough, but Sir Richard wants a fleet unit on the Pacific now for another reason.

### PRIME MINISTER'S DIFFICULT TASK.

Acadian Recorder.  
If Mr. Borden is able to carry out a policy in accord with the stand taken on every occasion since being leader of his party, then a corker is a straight line, twice two is six, grass can be blue, rivers flow uphill, and navigators can steer north by south and east by west.

### CHANGE OF BASE.

Toronto Star.  
The Globe suggests a prize of \$100,000 for anyone who can make electrical house heating as effective as the use of coal. This may be taken as indicating that the Globe has finally abandoned its scheme for heating all homes by burning ashes.

## Opening the First Week of Our Christmas Sale Monday With a List of Remarkable Values in Wearing Apparel

### Special Sale of Women's Velvet Coats at \$43.75

WORTH 25%, 50% AND 100% MORE

ALTHOUGH the above is a very strong statement, the showing of samples now in the View street windows will more than satisfy you that it is quite within reason. We can show dozens of other beautiful models to you if you will visit the department. They are all new and interesting samples of the best French and American styles of the more conservative order and should be of interest to all who admire the rich appearance and dignified effect of a good black velvet coat. Few women ever tire of this class of garment, it remains in fashion long after other styles are old, and the pleasure of wearing an exclusive garment that is much better than it really needs to be is well worth the extra expense.

Many of them are in choice one-sided effects and are finished with wide collar and lapel effects. Some are trimmed with combinations of bands of satin and silk military braid, some have embroidered lace trimmings and others are finished with white plush.

The cuffs are the deep turn-back style; the fastenings are either buttons or large frogs, and all are beautifully lined with satin or silk. Your choice at \$43.75.

### Women's Silk Waists

VALUES FROM \$3.75 UP TO \$9.00  
WILL BE SOLD ON MONDAY AT \$2.75

In this assortment there are many plain silk waists trimmed with silks and other materials in contrasting colors, lots of neat striped silks, shot silks and chiffons.

The prevailing colors are black, blues of various shades, greens, browns, Copenhagen, greys and white. Some have high necks others have low and there are several different styles of sleeves to choose from.

All sizes from 32 to 44 are included but not in each line. Having so many different styles it is impossible to describe them all in detail, but the showing now to be seen in the window will be sufficient to convince you that early shoppers will have an unusual snap.

### Women's Evening Slippers

90 PAIRS IN BROKEN SIZES, \$3.00  
AND \$4.00 VALUES FOR..... \$1.95

In this line there are some fine models, made of patent leather, in the ankle strap style, black cravenette cloth pumps in very graceful styles; also colonial pumps in various lasts.

All are from our regular stock, and although we have not all sizes in all lines we have nearly all sizes in the three lines combined. This means that early shoppers on Monday will get a most remarkable value, and early shopping is advisable.

We have a full line of the newest and most desirable dancing slippers on the market in all sizes and our prices are what you will consider to be most reasonable.

You are invited to inspect them whether you make a purchase or not.

## BEAUTIFUL EVENING DRESSES AT \$18.75

WORTH TWO, THREE AND FOUR TIMES AS MUCH

IN this lot there are twenty-eight beautiful dresses in silks, satins, chiffons and nions to choose from. The colors are dainty shades of pink, mauve, brown, green and white. They are expensive and exclusive models that have been used for show purposes and now that they have served their purpose we are willing to let them go at a price that is within the reach of the average woman.

Some are trimmed with sable fur, Japanese trimmings, etc., and others are finished with tunics. There are the semi-Dutch yoke, the high collar, and the very low neck styles to choose from.

See the window display on View street for a display of these garments. Don't judge them by the small price alone. See them, and you'll be satisfied that there is from two to four times the value of your money in any one of the dresses.

ON SALE MONDAY

## Sweeping Reductions on a Large Quantity of Desirable Silks---Monday

IT is simply a case of having too much of a good thing on hand, and we have taken this step to make room for the huge consignments of Christmas goods that are now pouring into the store. This offer comes in good time for you to have a new dress made for the festive season.

FANCY STRIPED SILKS in dark patterns that have been selling at 50c a yard are now reduced to ..... 25c  
SHOT TAFFETAS---In this lot there are twenty different colorings to choose from. They come in two-toned effects and are our regular \$1.00 quality. Sale price ..... 25c  
COLORED TAFFETAS in various dark patterns and a quality that we sell regularly at 75c are marked down to ..... 25c  
COLORED MOIRE in colors pink, brown, cardinal and green in a quality that is well worth \$1.00 a yard is marked at 50c  
BORDERED FOULARDS in a variety of light patterns and floral designs should prove a very popular line. They are our regular \$2.50 value and are to be cleaned out at, per yard ..... 50c  
FANCY SILKS in striped and check patterns that have been selling at 75c a yard should find a ready sale at ..... 50c  
SATIN DE CHENE MESSALINE in colors navy, royal, moss, myrtle, reseau, brown, old rose, cream and white are to be had in the regular \$1.25 quality at, per yard ..... 75c  
TAFFETAS in the fine hairline striped effects that has been selling at \$1.25 a yard is now marked down to ..... 75c

STRIPED MESSALINES in fancy shot striped effects is another line that will attract much favorable attention. It is a \$1.25 grade and will sell rapidly at ..... 75c  
SATIN MOIRE comes in colors navy, royal, brown, purple, emerald, white and black. It is a good value at \$1.50 a yard but will be sold on Monday at ..... \$1.00  
SATIN SIAMMOIS, 40 inches wide is to be had in colors grey, pink, sky, old rose and cream. It is a beautiful material worth \$1.75 in the regular way but we are bound to clear it out. Per yard ..... \$1.00  
SHOT MESSALINE is to be had in all the latest colors. It is a very desirable value at \$1.50 a yard, but is a starting bargain at ..... \$1.00  
PALETTE in colors sky, Alice, maize, hello, brown, Nile, reseau, cream and black are to be had in the 40 inch width. The regular price is \$1.75 and you will count it a rare bargain at ..... \$1.25  
TAFFETA CHENE comes in a variety of attractive floral patterns in dark colors. It is a good value at the regular price, \$1.75, and will be a very acceptable bargain at ..... \$1.25

### Oddments, Samples and Slightly Soiled Dresses for Girls

REGULAR \$1.00 AND \$1.50 VALUES FOR ..... 65c  
REGULAR \$1.75 TO \$3.50 VALUES FOR ..... \$1.00  
REGULAR \$3.75 TO \$7.50 VALUES FOR ..... \$2.50  
REGULAR \$9.50 TO \$12.50 VALUES, FOR ..... \$4.75

TO say that these are tremendous reductions is only a mild statement, and we must admit they are almost enough to make women very skeptical as to their value and quality.

However, the showing of the dresses now to be seen in the window will more than set your mind at ease with reference to their quality and value. It will make you wish that the store was open so that you could make your choice without delay.

They are just the style that your little girls will delight in wearing at the party and other juvenile functions during the winter, and when the summer comes around they will be more than useful. The materials are fine muslins and lawns and you have your choice from dozens of different styles.

Round, Dutch and V-shaped yokes, also the high neck, and a variety assortment of styles of sleeves are to be had. The Mother Hubbard, Buster Brown, long waisted and French styles are the most prevalent.

Some are all-over embroidered in beautiful patterns, eyelet embroidered all over, have embroidered skirts and plain material bodices finished with tucks, embroidery and lace insertions, etc., and the waist bands are of embroidery or lace insertions, insertion headings and ribbons, etc.

SEE THEM AND YOU'LL BE PLEASED. SIZES 2 TO 16 YEARS ARE HERE

## Our Six Day Sale of Men's Suits Started Friday with Sweeping Reductions

AND is a marked success. It is apparent that men are appreciating the price concessions.

### Notice the Reductions

\$7.50 TO \$10.00 SUITS MARKED DOWN TO \$4.75  
\$15 TO \$18 SUITS WILL NOW COST YOU \$11.95  
\$20 TO \$25 SUITS ARE CUT DOWN TO \$16.75

The above quotations are a study, but the showing of the suits in the windows is convincing evidence that now is the best time to secure well tailored garments at easy prices.

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Cleaned Currants, 10c per lb., 11 lbs. for .....\$1.00  
Choice Seeded Raisins, large packets, 10c; 11 for .....\$1.00  
New C. & B. Orange and Lemon Peels, per lb. 15c  
Sultana Raisins, 2 lbs. for .....25c  
Nice Fresh Dates, 2 lbs. 25c  
Finest Creamery Butter, 2 lbs. for .....\$1.00  
Gmex Creamery, lb. 40c

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60 feet on Richardson street, between Moss and Linden \$4,400  
5 roomed house on Finlayson street .....\$4,200  
1 roomed house on Transit road. Price .....\$7,000  
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ADVERTISE IN THE TIMES

## BRIEF NEWS OF THE CITY

**Skates.**—We grind them and they are done properly. Waites & Knapton, 619 Pandora Street.

**Ladies' Tailor.**—Wm. Stewart, men's and ladies' tailor, room 5, Haynes Bldg., Fort street.

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**Hanna & Thomas, Pandora Ave.**—Leading funeral furnishing house. Connections, Vancouver, New Westminster and Winnipeg.

**The B. C. Funeral Co., Chas. Hayward,** president, are located in their new premises, 734 Broughton Street.

**S. P. C. A.**—Cases of cruelty 'phone Inspector Russell, 1921; secretary, L1733.

**Contractors, Look!**—CHOICE FIR DOORS, WINDOWS, GLASS, etc., in stock. R. A. Green & Co., Phone 2851. Shop at 1155 North Park street. Estimates free.

**Economy Wet Wash Laundry.**—Family wash, 75c a week. Clothes returned on the following day, thoroughly washed. Phone 3339, 2612 Bridge Street.

**Sands & Fulton, Ltd.,** funeral directors, 1515 Quadra street. Phone 3306.

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**Skates properly hollow-ground** at James Waites, 644 Fort street. James Waites.

**For a good smoke, try a Pride.** Clear Havana.

**Roofs made fire-proof** by Newton & Greer Co., 1234 Wharf street, makers of "Nag" Roof composition.

**Don't Worry about Xmas presents.** Have a dozen of "Septa" portraits taken at the Skene Lowe studio and the question is solved. Do it now.

**Phone 864** for good millwood, \$3.00 double load, \$1.50 single load.

**Bart—Meet me** in front of the Sayward building, and will wait while you take up your application; they stay open till 9 p. m. Elks' headquarters you know, Rosie.

**"Nag" Roof Compositions** are fire-proof and add years to the life of an old roof. See Norton & Greer Co., 1234 Wharf street.

**Teaming.**—G. F. Biswanger, dealer in coal and teaming. Phone F2992.

**There is still time** to have photos finished for the English Xmas mail at Young's studio, 626 Yates Street.

**Autos for Hire.**—5 and 7 passenger cars. Phone 1111.

**Drink Crystal Spring Water.**

**Our Last Week's Business.**—Your last chance to buy retail at wholesale price. Shop in the forenoon if possible. Come to-day. W. G. McLaren & Co., 1227 Douglas Street.

**Merchants' Lunch** at the Bismarck.

**View Royal** is the most reasonably priced waterfront subdivision now offering. It's on Esquimalt harbor. See us Monday for particulars. Island Investment Co., Ltd. Sayward Block.

**Smoke Pride of Victoria cigars.**

**Are Your Feet Cold?**—Use an earthen hot water bottle. It stays hot all night, \$1 at R. A. Brown & Co., 1302 Douglas Street.

**Goldstream Water** is to be piped through the streets of View Royal, Esquimalt Harbor. Waste no time, Island Investment Company, Ltd., Sayward Block.

**The Colonial Trust Co., Ltd.,** 1003 Langley street, are prepared to purchase agreements for sale of city and suburban property at reasonable rates.

**Christmas Novelty Sale,** by the ladies of the Reformed Episcopal church, held in the schoolroom adjoining. Wednesday, December 4, 3 to 6 p. m. Home-made candy. Afternoon tea.

**Victoria Scenery** at its best is glimpsed from View Royal, Esquimalt's waterfront park. Island Investment Company, Sayward Block.

**Council Lacks Quorum.**—Owing to only five aldermen turning up the meeting called for yesterday afternoon fell by the board, and by-laws to be passed at that session will have to go forward till Monday.

**Health Committee.**—At a meeting of the health committee yesterday it was decided to recommend the purchase of some necessary apparatus for the medical health officer's office, and to award tenders for the sidewalks at the Isolation hospital.

**Grand Choral Concert.**—A concert has been arranged for Wednesday, December 11, by the choir of the First Baptist church assisted by local talent. An excellent programme has been drawn up and as such it is hoped will prove successful. Tickets may be obtained from any member of the choir.

**Still Await Response.**—No reply has yet been forwarded to the Canadian Society of engineers with regard to the application from the local secretary of the society for a record as far as possible of the nationality of the civil engineers in the municipal employment, and also those employed in connection with the Sooke Lake Waterworks.

**Mrs. Young to Open Sale.**—Mrs. Dr. Young will open the sale of work in the schoolroom of Wesley church, corner of McPherson and Fullerton streets on Tuesday at 3 p. m. Light refreshments will be served by the ladies during the afternoon. At 6.30 p. m. there will be a banquet in the social hall after which there will be a number of short addresses by clergymen and prominent laymen, interspersed by selections by the following artists: Mesdames Parsons, Gregson, McCallum, Misses Sherritt, Morrison, Calvatsky, Davis, Messrs. Hughes, Morrison, Greenwood, Davis, Young and the Metropolitan Male Quartette.

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## TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO TO-DAY

Victoria Times, November 30, 1887.

**General Manager W. C. Van Horne,** accompanied by ex-Speaker G. A. Kirkpatrick, M. P., one of the directors of the company and president of the Dominion Express Company, are in Vancouver to-day. Referring to the China-Japan trade, Mr. Kirkpatrick stated that the results so far had been all that could be expected. The new steamers, which Sir George Stephen has gone to England to have constructed, he said, would develop the trade which would make the C. P. R. the envy of all rival lines. The steamers are to be in all respects the best ships ever turned out of the Clyde. These ships will be ready for service in May, 1889.

**Mr. Mowat,** inspector of fisheries, is making arrangements to send about one million salmon eggs over to the Cowichan river. It is understood that an arrangement has been arrived at between the government and the Puget Sound Land Company whereby the former purchases 12 acres from the latter, as the site for the barracks and drill hall for C Battery. The price will be about \$500 an acre—considered to be a reasonable sum.

The annual dinner of the B. C. Pioneer Society will take place at the Clarence hotel on Saturday, December 10. The entertainment given the Sunday school children in the Pandora Presbyterian church last night was a great success. The scholars were out in great numbers, as were their parents and teachers. The Rev. Mr. Fraser presided on the occasion with his usual affability and pleasantry.

**\$1.00 Usually \$2.50,** while they last; one lot of best grade gold-filled eyeglass frames, warranted 10 years. Bring your old glasses and get a new frame. These frames and glasses complete, \$2.50. No extra charge for testing your eyes. Great cut price sale now on. Frank Clugston, optician and optometrist, 654 Yates St., corner Douglas, room 1.

**Maps and Literature** of View Royal, Esquimalt Harbor subdivision, on application. Island Investment Co., Ltd., Sayward building.

**Thirteen Club Dance.**—Last night, at the A. O. F. Hall, the Thirteen Club gave a most enjoyable dance to their friends, the programme being of a particularly delightful and varied character, and including numbers of the old-fashioned lancers, quadrilles and minuets. The masters of ceremonies for the evening were Colin Wood, president of the club; E. Bowman, the secretary; and E. Stevenson, J. McFadyen, Roe, W. Harbison and J. McFadden. Dancing continued until the early hours of the morning, a delicious supper being served shortly before 11 o'clock.

**Police Patrol in Collision.**—Returning with a prisoner to the police station at 1.30 o'clock this morning the wagon came into collision with an automobile driven by William Mason, 1540 Jubilee avenue. The patrol was not much damaged, but the automobile was badly wrecked, the two front wheels being smashed, the axle twisted, and the wind shield and light in front were also considerably damaged.

**W. C. T. U. Meeting.**—The members of the W. C. T. U. met Thursday afternoon at the Y. M. C. A. to receive the report of the building fund, submitted by Mrs. William Grant. It was decided that the new Pandora street property of the W. C. T. U. should be placed on the market, and the Store Street mission site withdrawn—this because the ladies feel that they are at present unable to finance the scheme proposed with respect to building a new place on Pandora street. The remainder of the afternoon was devoted to discussing matters in connection with the recent visit here of Miss Anderson Hughes, while it was announced that the names of all those who have contributed during the past year to assisting the work of the Union would be published. Mrs. Williscroft presided, and there was an excellent attendance of members.

**St. James' Bazaar.**—Santa Claus will be found in the gymnasium at the back of Mrs. Copas' residence, 139 Menzies street, next Tuesday afternoon when he will find out what is wanted for Christmas by all the young people who go to the bazaar which is to be given by the St. Agnes' Guild and the Ladies' Guild of St. James' Church. There will be an abundance of suggestions in the way of what is wanted for the Christmas stocking. Seekers after gifts will find something appropriate at the bag table, the gift table, or the household table. Many will be able to replenish their supply of jugs from those hanging on the wall, and the "odd and ends" table will make up for any deficiencies to be found in the other stalls. Candy will be sold, and tea and light refreshments will be served both afternoon and evening.

## ELKS PASS 200 MARK.

More than 200 of the leading citizens of Victoria have applied for membership in the Benevolent Protective Order of Elks, which lodge will be instituted in this city early in December.

Jacob S. Wood, the local organizer, and his staff, of assistants are being kept busy explaining the objects and status of the order and writing applications.

The fortunate members are the ones taking advantage of the low charter fee, as no doubt it will be greatly increased immediately after the lodge is instituted.

It is also expected that all arrangements for the club rooms will be completed by January 1st, thus enabling the anticipated tribe to be thoroughly settled in their new home by January 15th, of the new year.



## A PERFECT PIANO

Of all the many gifts that will be exchanged during the Christmas season now so near at hand, none will be so wholly satisfactory, none will carry quite so much happiness with it, none will express such great admiration, such full appreciation as the gift of a Gerhard Heintzman concert grand piano, Canada's perfect piano. All that is best in materials, workmanship, construction, has been combined with more than half a century of rich, fruitful experience in the building of this superb instrument. Its full, mellow tone, resonant yet sweet, powerful yet refined, is lasting. Even years of hard usage will fail to impair it. For instrumental work as for accompaniments, it is absolutely soul-satisfying. In its lines and general appearance this magnificent concert grand piano is a real standard of excellence; its finish is as nearly perfect as the finest woods, the best materials and the most skillful master finishers can make it. Yet in price the Gerhard Heintzman Concert Grand Piano is remarkably reasonable, and the terms on which it is sold are surprisingly generous. Give one of these "perfect pianos" if you seek the "greatest gift." It will fulfill all that you could wish for in a gift.

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## To-Day's Special--

## AIR RIFLES

What could be more timely? Just the thing to get the boy for Christmas. He wouldn't appreciate anything more than one of these "Sterling" Air Rifles.

No. D, regular \$1.25, single shot. To-day .....95¢  
No. E, regular \$1.75, single shot. To-day .....\$1.35  
No. F, regular \$2.25, 1000-shot repeaters. To-day .....\$1.65  
No. G, regular \$2.50, 1000-shot repeaters. To-day .....\$1.85  
Come early to-day and get one.

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# Along the Waterfront

## Shipping News from Day to Day

### FIND NEW SITE FOR UCLUELET SURF BOAT

Marine Department to Establish New Life-Saving Station—Save Long Pull

In order to save a long pull to the open water the Marine and Fisheries Department has decided to establish a new bathhouse and dwelling at the entrance to Ucluelet Sound for the Ucluelet surf boat and its crew. In the past the life-saving station has been located at the head of the sound and the crew has had a long row before reaching open water. With the station at the entrance the crew will be able to launch the surf boat almost into the rollers from the Pacific. The men will also be able to get to the assistance of any vessel in distress much quicker and will also be able to maintain a better lookout.

Oscar H. Wook, of Victoria, has been awarded the contract by the Ottawa officials, and he will commence work immediately so that the crew may occupy the new quarters in a very short time. The men who man the surf boat are salaried men and not volunteers. The present crew has been standing by the boat for some time and handle the boat beautifully. The new dwelling for the men will be an improvement on the old quarters, and while it will not be luxuriously fitted, everything will be made comfortable for the men.

Cape Beale Alterations.  
Alterations and improvements are to be made at Cape Beale. Tenders are now being called for by the marine department for a new dwelling there for the lightkeeper. Cape Beale, as everyone knows, is the widest point on the Pacific seaboard. This light flashes for miles out on the bosom of the Pacific, and is always a welcomed sight for mariners bound in from foreign ports, as they know they are nearing the end of their trip. The light to the sailing vessel, however, acts as a danger signal and too well does the windjammer's master know the price he will have to pay if his vessel runs in too closely to the shore. Many craft, principally sailers, have piled up at Cape Beale and it has earned the name "The Graveyard of the Pacific."

### NEW COASTING STEAMER UNDERGOES TRIAL TRIPS

San Francisco, Cal., Nov. 30.—The new steel steamer John A. Hooper, launched at Wilmington, Del., September 21, for Sudden & Christiansen, was given her trial trip on Chesapeake Bay yesterday with Captain Martin in command. She will be used in the coast service from this port.

The Hooper will bring out coal for the government. She will proceed to Norfolk, Va., where she will load 2,000 tons of coal for San Francisco, steaming from the coal port early in December.

The government has chartered the ship Edward Sewell to load coal for the government for some months, as the bunkers at the government yard here are practically filled.

It is announced that the British barque Antiope will load her cargo of lumber for Sydney on Puget Sound instead of Eureka as previously reported. The Antiope is owned by the Charles Nelson Company. Her loading port has not been designated. The Antiope brought coal here from Australia and is now in port discharging.

The Japanese steamer Fukoku Maru, row on the Sound, and the steamer Unkal Maru, now at Honolulu, are both under charter to Balfour, Guthrie & Co., to load wheat at Tacoma for Japan.

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### CITY OF PANAMA LEAVES THE SEA

San Francisco, Cal., Nov. 30.—The old Pacific Mail liner City of Panama, concerning the condition of which complaint was made by passengers on the last trip from Panama, has been retired from deep-sea service, according to an announcement by the owners. It is understood that she will be either cut down for a coal barge or sold for junk.

The City of Panama was claimed to be unseaworthy. She has been running out of here to Balboa, Panama, for some years.

### YOKOHAMA REPORTS 1,500 MILES AWAY

#### NIPPON LINER EXPECTED IN PORT ON WEDNESDAY

Bringing Rather Light Cargo—Next Week Will Be Very Quiet in Shipping

Providing the weather holds good the Nippon Yusen Kaisha liner Yokohama Maru, Capt. Noda, may arrive in port from the Orient late on Wednesday. Last night a wireless message was received from the steamship and the position she gave figures out to be approximately 1,500 miles from Victoria. At 8 o'clock she was in latitude 49.39 north, and longitude 158.54 west. With the Yokohama so far at sea it is impossible to estimate the time of her arrival, as he may encounter heavy gales off the coast, which would hold her back considerably.

The Yokohama Maru is bringing in to Victoria a shipment of 800 tons of freight, including a great deal of oranges. While 800 tons once seemed a large cargo to be discharged here, it is considered rather small just now. Recently steamships arriving here have brought in cargoes ranging from 1,500 to 2,000 tons. Victoria is the distributing point for the Japanese lines, the freight being sent from here to Vancouver and Eastern points, and also to the towns up the Island.

There are few Orientals coming in on the Yokohama this trip. The trend of travel at the present time is westward. The Japanese liner is reported to have about 60 Orientals on board. Her saloon accommodation is nearly all filled.

#### Little Doing Next Week.

Next week will be very light in the shipping of this port. In fact it will be about the lightest Victoria shipping men have known for some time. Besides the Yokohama Maru, only one steamship will dock inward, one will sail outward and another is returning here to load cargo. The Empress of Japan, Capt. Robinson, is expected in from the Orient about the end of next week. The Sado Maru, Capt. Asakawa, of the Nippon fleet, clears for the Far East on Tuesday afternoon with a full cargo and many passengers.

The Blue Funnel liner Taihybius, Capt. Allen, which has been here for several days past discharging European and Oriental cargo, will be back in port late next week from Vancouver to load shipments of whale oil and salmon.

### SUEZ CANAL TRAFFIC

In his report on the trade of Port Said for 1911, Consul-General Bleich states that 4,969 vessels, of a net tonnage of 18,234,794 tons, passed through the Suez canal in 1911, as compared with 4,532 vessels of 16,581 tons in 1910. The average net tonnage is now nearly 3,600 tons. The percentage of British ships passing through the canal has risen to 62.2 per cent., as regards numbers, and to 64 per cent. for tonnage.

### SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

Nov. 29.

Astoria, Ore.—Arrived: Steam schr. Olympic, San Francisco; French barque Marechal de Villars, Santos, Brazil; gas schooner Mirene, Alsea; gas schooners Gerald C. and Della, Nes-tucca. Sailed: Steam schooner Klammath, San Francisco; tank steamer Catania, San Francisco; oil tanker, Capt. A. P. Lucas, San Francisco.

Seattle, Wash.—Arrived: Steamers City of Puebla, Melville Dollar, San Francisco; Minnesota, Yokohama. Sailed: Steamers President, San Francisco; Spokane, Skagway.

San Francisco—Arrived: Steamer Daisy Gadsby, Columbia River; Magician, Haine; Speedwell, Coos Bay; Atlas, Tacoma; Navajo, Astoria; Ne-halem, Gray's Harbor; Bokkman, Seattle. Sailed: Steamers Johanna, Poulson, George W. Elder, Portland; Anson, Seattle; schooners Virginia, Portland; Kona, Gray's Harbor.

Tacoma, Wash.—Arrived: Mariposa, Alaska; Japanese steamer Seattle Maru, Yokohama; U. S. S. Burnside, Seattle. Sailed: Admiral Sampson, San Francisco, via Seattle.

### SMALLEST OF FLEET NEXT TO DOCK HERE

Crown of Cordova Will Be in Middle of Next Month—Magician at Frisco

Next of the Harrison liners to come to Victoria will be the Crown of Cordova, the smallest vessel in the service of this great shipping company. The steamship is now standing up the Coast and should reach San Pedro in a few days. It is expected that she will berth here about the middle of next month with several hundred tons of European freight for this port. The Cordova is calling at Salina Cruz, and although no word has been received here of her arrival there, it is more than likely that she has cleared from the Mexican port and is on her way up to Pedro, San Francisco and Victoria.

The Crown of Cordova is only 3,472 tons, and is on her first trip to Victoria. She is the only vessel flying the flag of the Harrison line that comes under the 4,000-ton mark. It is understood that the Cordova will only make the one trip to this Coast, as her place will be taken by a vessel with larger cargo capacity.

The Craftsman, which has been here before, was reported steaming from Glasgow on November 5, and will be the next steamship to arrive after the Cordova. Following the Craftsman the Centurion, which inaugurated the Harrison service to this port early in 1911, left Glasgow on Tuesday of last week.

The Crown of Seville, a sister ship of the Crown of Toledo, is scheduled to sail from Glasgow late next month on her maiden trip. She was only launched a few months ago, and has left for Antwerp to load cargo for this Coast.

Magician at Frisco.

The Magician, which was here about two weeks ago with general cargo, reached San Francisco yesterday to load a full cargo of canned goods for the United Kingdom. She will make on several hundred thousand cases of canned goods and sail from the Bay City on December 5.

### WIRELESS REPORTS

November 30, 8 a. m.  
Point Grey—Cloudy; calm; 29.87; 35. Cape Lazoo—Cloudy; wind N. W.; light; 29.58; 29; sea smooth.

Tatoosh—Part cloudy; 29.58; 41; sea moderate. Out, S. S. Argyle 10 p. m. In, S. S. President 7.30 p. m.

Pachena—Cloudy; calm; 29.70; 40; sea moderate.

Estevan—Cloudy; calm; 29.74; 40; sea smooth. Spoke S. S. Panama Maru 12.25 a. m., position at 8 p. m., 50.14 N., 134.45 W., westbound; S. S. Yokohama Maru 1 a. m., position at 8 p. m., 49.39 N., 134.54 W., eastbound; S. S. Makura, 2.45 a. m., position at 8 p. m., 536 miles from Victoria, southbound.

Triangle—Cloudy; N. W.; 29.28; 47. Spoke S. S. Prince Rupert 7 p. m., Milbank Sound, southbound; S. S. Camosun 7.30 p. m., Milbank Sound, southbound; S. S. Empress of India 8 p. m., position 50.33 N., 132.21 W.; S. S. Keenun 9 p. m., 51.12 N., 136.00 W.; S. S. Prince John 10.20 p. m., off Egg Island, southbound.

Prince Rupert—Cloudy; wind light; N. W.; 29.77; 38; sea smooth.

Noon.

Point Grey—Clear; calm; 29.80; 43; hazy seaward.

Cape Lazoo—Clear; calm; 29.90; 41. Spoke S. S. Prince Rupert through Seymour Narrows, 10 a. m., southbound; S. S. Prince John through Seymour Narrows, 10 a. m., southbound; S. S. Amur abeam, 9.30 a. m., southbound.

Tatoosh—Part cloudy; E. 12 miles; 30.90; 47; sea smooth.

Pachena—Clear; calm; 29.69; 46; sea smooth.

Estevan—Clear; calm; 29.85; 44; sea smooth.

Triangle—Cloudy; light N. W.; 29.31; 43; light swell. Spoke S. S. Cheloshin 8.25 a. m., off Egg Island, northbound.

Ikedda—Overcast; N.; 29.62; 53; sea smooth.

Prince Rupert—Cloudy; N. W.; 29.70; 34; sea smooth.

Dead Tree Point—Overcast; N.; sea smooth.

#### SAILER AVERAGES 11 KNOTS ON A 10,000-MILE VOYAGE

The British ship Annie M. Reid arrived at Adelaide from Montevideo on Sunday and is reported to have made the voyage in 37 days, which seems to be the case if her sailing date from Montevideo is correct. The Annie M. Reid was formerly the Howard D. Troop, having been purchased by Hind, Rolph & Co. some time ago and renamed as above.

If the time of 37 days is correctly reported, the vessel certainly made a passage that, if it is not a record one, must be very close to it. The distance which she would have to sail, going by way of the Cape of Good Hope, the natural route to travel, is something over 10,000 miles, or at an average speed of fully eleven miles an hour for the entire voyage, which comes pretty near being steamer time, and is certainly so, when it is considered that tramp steamers coming to this coast from Australia with coal consumed practically the same time in covering somewhere about 7,000 miles.

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### MUCH OF FOREMAST MUST BE REPAIRED

Is Badly Damaged—Still Discharging Lumber Forward—Survey Bulkhead—Survey Bulkhead

Further surveys of the damage forward on the British steamship Strathdene, Capt. Durden, now lying at Esquimalt, discharging her deckload of lumber, have revealed the fact that much of the foremast of the vessel will have to be rebuilt. The mast is badly buckled as a result of the jamming of the big sticks of timber, the stand to which her derrick booms are fastened has been strained and the fastenings in the deck, through which the foremast passes, has also been strained.

The foremast has been discharged much of the lumber forward, and the surveyors will soon be able to examine the bulkhead at the break of the foremast. The big sticks of lumber twelve inches square and about sixty feet long pounded against the bulkheads, and it is thought that it was severely strained. It is more than likely that the surveyors will be able to look over this part of the ship on Monday.

In the meantime the work of repairing the upperworks is proceeding apace. The lifeboat which was struck by a wave and lifted from the davits and thrown against the funnel, is either to be repaired or replaced by a new one. The section of the bridge which was carried away is being renewed and the engineers' quarters are also being repaired.

Taihybius and Dollar Sails.

The Blue Funnel liner Taihybius, Capt. Allen, left port this afternoon for Vancouver after discharging 2,000 tons of general merchandise. The Dollar, Capt. Graham, which is putting off sulphur at the Chemical Works, will get away for Vancouver late tonight.

### HEAD LIGHTS

The Pacific coast tide tables for 1913 have been received at the marine and fisheries department, and can be secured free of charge.

English shipyards are mainly employed in the building of oil tank steamers and boats of the liner or semi-liner class. Few cargo vessels are being built.

The G. T. P. steamer Prince Rupert, Capt. Johnson, is due in port from Prince Rupert to-morrow morning.

She sails north again on Monday morning at 10 o'clock.

During the illness of Capt. Gaudin, wreck commissioner, any mariner who wishes to try his examination will be accommodated upon applying at the marine department. Capt. Eddie has been appointed as examiner.

As an evidence of prosperity, the Royal Mail Steam Packet Co. has decided to increase the rate of 5 per cent. a year, the first since 1901. It is believed that at the close of the current year the directors may see their way clear to declare a higher dividend than 5 per cent.

The British barque Ontiope, which has arrived at San Francisco from Newcastle, N. S. W., sailed a distance of 8,245 kins in 65 days, or at an average speed of almost 1 1/2 knots per hour for the voyage. Captain Mathison reported a rather uneventful voyage, with light easterly winds and spells of calms between October 2nd and November 10th.

NEW LINER FOR AUSTRALIAN RUN

Sydney, N. S. W., Nov. 30.—In addition to the Niagara, which Captain Gibb is bringing out for the Canadian Australian run, the Union Steamship Company of New Zealand has definitely decided to build another liner to replace the Marama. The Niagara will enter the Vancouver service in May. She will be an oil-burner, and supplies of oil will be taken aboard at Vancouver and at Honolulu.

### WHEAT SHIPMENT IS HEAVIEST FOR YEARS

Many Japanese Steamships Chartered to Help Handle Output From Coast

San Francisco, Cal., Nov. 30.—Eight or nine Japanese steamships have been fixed in the last month to load grain from Puget Sound and the Columbia river to Japan. The movement in wheat from the North Pacific to the Orient this season will be the heaviest in years. In addition to the chartered steamers the regular liners from the Sound are carrying big shipments.

The Japanese steamer Nankai Maru, formerly the British steamship Indravelli, has been chartered by the Oriental Trading Company for grain from Puget Sound to Japan. She steamed November 21 from Otara for the Columbia river with hardwood for the Pacific Lumber & Manufacturing Co.

The schooner Henry K. Hall, at Newcastle, Aus., loading coal for this port, has been rechartered by Comyn, Mackell & Co., to the American Trading Co. for lumber from Puget Sound for Sydney. The rate of the charter is not announced.

The American-Hawaiian freighter Nevada arrived yesterday from Salina Cruz, and will steam for Puget Sound early next week. She brought a large cargo of New York freight. According to advice received by the marine department a fifth chamber of commerce, about 70,000 feet of lumber will be saved from the wreck of the schooner Endeavor, which stranded near Suva in September. The vessel lies upon the Nasawa Point of the Nasaul Reef.

### ONE OF HEROIC INDIANS DIES; MEDAL HANDED DOWN

Death has overtaken one of the bravest Indians who ever lived on the Cowichan reservation. William Tzou-halem, one of the three Indians who formed a rescue party and saved the lives of several passengers in the Iroquois disaster, passed away at his home on Thursday last, death being caused through blood-poisoning. Less than a month ago the Indian was rewarded for his bravery in the shipping disaster by the Dominion Government, being presented with a gold medal. Before his end came Tzou-halem called his three-year-old son to his side and placed the medal to his breast. The medal is to be handed down from generation to generation in memory of the heroic deed of the father.

### FIRST TRAIN FROM RUPERT REACHES SOUTH HAZELTON

Charles Earle, passenger and ticket agent of the G. T. P., has been advised that the first freight and passenger train from Prince Rupert through to South Hazelton yesterday. South Hazelton is three miles further inland than Seely Gulch, to which point the trains have been operating for some days past. Formerly the three-mile journey was made by stage and besides being expensive was none too comfortable. The steel is gradually being laid through the mountains and slowly the eastern and western ends are being brought together.

Hazelton is now under snow. Much snow has also fallen on the mountains and the weather is cold. So far the trains have suffered no delays.

From Comox and Nanaimo the C. P. R. steamer Charmar, Capt. Brown, is expected in port to-morrow.

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### A MIX-UP REPORTED.

Difference of Opinion Ends in Blows—Combatants Were Both Well-Known in City Circles.

That a mix-up occurred yesterday afternoon between one of the aldermen and a former city official is freely rumored round the city hall this morning. There has been bad feeling between them for some time and it culminated in a resort to fists yesterday.

Details of the combat are lacking, and the exact consequences of the



## OAK BAY BUILDING DURING NOVEMBER

For First Time This Year Slight Fall Experienced From Last Year—A Great Record

The totals for the building permits for the month of November in Oak Bay municipality are to hand, and for the first time this year the amount falls short of the total for last year. It is only in the latter part of the month that the building activities of the suburb have been in their usual buoyant condition, and December promises to outstrip the month which has just gone very easily.

The total value of property for which permits have been issued during last month was only \$26,150, whereas in the same month last year no less than \$80,000 was reached, making a loss of \$53,850 under November of last year.

On the other hand the total for the whole eleven months shows enormous gain over the total for the corresponding time last year. In fact the amount has been more than doubled, for as against the \$454,502 spent in the municipality from January to the end of November in 1911, no less than \$1,044,446 were spent in the same period during the present year.

These figures speak for themselves, and it is an absolute certainty that the slight lapse during the present month is only a temporary derangement which will very soon be rectified. Everything points to a magnificent record for the end of the year.

### IMPORTANT SUBJECT.

William Marchant to Discuss Proportional Representation Next Month.

After careful consideration of subject for months William Marchant proposes to give to the public in a lecture about Christmastide his views on proportional representation. The subject is one which has received the attention of many leading statesmen in recent years, and particularly that of Lord Courtney in England. Attention to the subject in Canada received a considerable impetus from the late Sir Richard Cartwright's address to the Toronto Reform Club last year.

Mr. Marchant says the situation in British Columbia affords an excellent opportunity for the introduction of this principle, one party having no representation in the federal and provincial houses. While his address will be non-political in tone, he thinks the time an opportune one for discussion of this subject, which while it may be academic in character, is coming nearer and nearer to the range of practical politics.

Of interest to the public—Our landlord has given us next week to clean out our stock. We will be doing business until Friday evening, December 7. Come and secure big bargains. W. J. McLaren & Co., 1227 Douglas St.

## SPENT MONEY HERE; HE HAD TO LEAVE

It Was the Manner of Murphy's Spending Which Precipitated the Trouble

Edward Murphy has turned his back on the lights of the big city and fled himself sorrowfully back to his toil afar. He got drunk here; that was the keynote of the tragedy. P. C. Ellison told Magistrate Jay this morning that Murphy had been a trifle too loud in John street. To enquire as to his professional occupation, he had replied that he had been ten years a prize-fighter and the rest nothing in particular. The officer had learned that Murphy had been found bludgeoned in another man's bed in the Empire hotel with his boots on. Murphy's capital dwindled in the short course of his city life, for all unconscious of the calisson on which he was treading, he approached Sergeant O'Leary in the street, according to that officer's testimony, and asked for a small donation for upkeep.

Murphy merely sketched the romantic details of his blithe activities in the city. He had come here with about \$200 in cash, the fruits of labor untroubled from last July, and had proceeded to enjoy leisure. A spree had soon burst out and he now had none of the cash left. In proof of the veracity of the work story he held two soiled hands up toward the magistrate. It would have been all right if Murphy's friend, Charles Johnson, had not gone asleep last night. Johnson stated he had promised to take Murphy away this morning and give him work and had merely gone to have a night's refreshing sleep before the journey. While he was resting in bed Murphy had got away from him and had gone out of the hotel and got drunk again. Johnson had not learned of his friend's sad plight until this morning.

On condition that Murphy would leave at once with Johnson, Magistrate Jay allowed him to go.

### WAIVERS ARE FEW.

Only About 56 Deposited up Till Noon To-day—Many Have Qualified As Householders.

This morning being the last date, according to advertisement, for receiving waiver forms for the agreement holders to vote at the municipal election in January, there were 56 lodged with the civic officials at noon, and these will be examined before being sent to the printer for additions to the ordinary municipal list.

There will be undoubtedly a great many left off this list, but apparently the statute provides for the receipt of them up to the day of election. However, that the matter might be systematically dealt with, the city clerk has set to-day as the date for their receipt.

Another reason for the small number is that many failed to register under this franchise, owing to a decision to make sure of their vote as householders last month.

## SEIZED WITH FEAR OF LAW'S SHADOW

Charles Johnson Said He Got Wrong Shirts at Store and Threw Them Away

Charles Johnson, colored, may go back to the bosom of his family in Oklahoma city. Magistrate Jay decided this morning. Before Johnson left, however, he had to tell what he knew about certain shirts and collars, which were formerly in the store of Richards & Stevens, Government street.

R. P. Rowe, clerk in the store, stated that Johnson had bought a shirt, a hat, and a necktie, and had paid for them, but in leaving had picked up another parcel, containing four good shirts, which had been purchased by another person for delivery at his home. Rowe had not noticed the little error. The four shirts, together with the two extra collars each and the four other collars, had been priced at \$4.50.

Johnson said that the whole mistake had been due to his extraordinary hurry to catch the boat for Seattle. He had just been paid off for the season at his asphalt work, and longed to get home once more. After his hasty purchases of apparel, the clerk had pushed the two parcels towards him, and he had picked up both and rushed out. Being convinced by a friend that he had not sufficient time to catch his boat, he had repaired to a saloon, and indulged in lengthy potations. Thus he had not learned of the mistake until he had gone home again at 11 p. m. When he had seen the contents of the intruding parcel he had been seized with a great fear. He had thought that if he took the things back the people at the store would have him arrested for theft. He threw the shirts away in another room so that the dangerous train of possibilities would not be exploded. The shirts would not have been any use to him anyway, for they were a size or two too small.

Magistrate Jay said it was possible for a person to become very frightened under such circumstances if he were ignorant. He had certain suspicions about the whole affair, but he would let Johnson go if he would leave the country right away for Oklahoma. Johnson promised with relief.

## BRITISH CHANCELLOR WILL TOUR CANADA

Mr. Lloyd George Coming to the Country About the Middle of Next Year

It has been definitely announced that Mr. Lloyd George, the British Chancellor of the Exchequer and the "storm petrel" of Old Country politics, will pay a visit to Canada about the middle of next year, and will speak at Montreal, Toronto, Winnipeg, Edmonton, Vancouver and Victoria.

In addition to his tour through this country he has been requested to visit six of the great American cities, where he will also deliver addresses. Mr. Lloyd George, who will be accompanied by Mrs. George, will travel in a luxurious private family car and special train during the whole of the American tour.

D. T. Harries, president of the Chicago Welshmen, is arranging a great western states demonstration to welcome the Chancellor to Chicago.

### DUCHESS STREET HALL.

New Hall Will Be in Service About December 10—Furnishing in Progress.

The new fire hall at Duchess street is expected to be available about December 10, and will be equipped with motor apparatus. Re-adjustments will be made in No. 2 hall in consequence of the new quarters, and the apparatus recently purchased will thus be brought into service. Already the council has authorized the purchase of furniture for the resident firemen.

At noon Chief Davis had the prospect of the lightest month so far as fires are concerned since August, 1911, the fire loss being under \$100, and he sincerely trusts that nothing will occur to mar the prospect of setting up a record as good as any other month since he took charge of the brigade.

### SCHOOL LEAGUE SOCCER.

The South Park and Moss Street under fourteen teams met at Beacon Hill this morning, the game resulting in a win for the former by the score of 4-0. The game was a very one-sided affair, as the South Park goalkeeper did not have to stop the ball once during the entire game, nor did the ball come over the centre of the field often to ward the south-end boys' goal. Bendroit played a good game at full-back, while Copps and McFadden starred on the forward line. This win puts South Park at the top of the league by two points, and a hard fight is expected for the championship. McFadden scored three goals, while Copps tallied the other one. The score at half time stood 1-0.

### League Standing.

	L.	D.	Pts.
South Park	3	0	6
Central	2	0	4
North Ward	2	0	4
Moss Street	0	2	1
Victoria West	0	1	1
George Jay	0	2	0

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Attack on Cedar Cottage  
Germs Delayed When Officer's Bag Catches Fire

Vancouver, Nov. 30.—There are a score of suspiciously-smelling individuals who appear to have come from the isolation hospital and are giving them every latitude. There is a street car on the Fraser avenue line which fond mothers have started to enter and have suddenly changed their minds when they got the odors of smallpox and typhoid being conjured. And there is a health inspector who as minus one injection of formaldehyde, which started a fumigation panic on a crowded car this morning when challenged by the germs that were getting a free ride on the rear platform.

Assistant Health Inspector Eccles left the municipal hall at South Vancouver for Cedar Cottage armed with a Gladstone bag charged with the disinfectant this morning. Never dreaming that it might get loose he left the bag on the rear platform of the car, paid his own fare, entered and alighted at his home. He was going to attack at Cedar Cottage. The Gladstone bag and the formaldehyde thought themselves neglected, got together and ignited. Conductor Wm. Ferrie sniffed then sniffed again. Something was burning. Then the passengers sniffed and coughed and asked that was where they were going to alight. They had the same visions of smallpox or diphtheria or typhoid. They dropped off and spread disinfectant all over town. The bag was well alight when the health inspector discovered he had the car all to himself without even the customary germ getting a free ride. The conductor stopped the car and was making for a fire alarm when he changed his mind and got aid from McQuillan's blacksmith shop. The bag and the germ-destroyer were extinguished—and the car proceeded.

There are fifty million germs at Cedar Cottage celebrating the victory strategy of their allies who outflanked the health inspector. It is for all the world like a gathering of the burglars, and the festivities are to be kept up until the next attack by the germ-destroyers.

### OBITUARY RECORD

The funeral of the late Mrs. Rachel Sprout took place yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the family residence, 109 Pembroke street, when numerous friends assembled to pay this last mark of respect to the deceased. Numerous floral tributes covered the casket, and Rev. Joseph McCoy, assisted by Rev. James A. Dodds, D. D. of Tacoma, Wash., conducted the services. The following acted as pallbearers: Messrs. Calloway, Thomas, Cope, McKinnis, P. Stephenson, L. Sprout and Ernest Hall.

The remains of the late J. H. Taylor, who passed away the night before last at the Jubilee hospital, are reposing at the Hanna-Thomson parlors, awaiting instructions from the East.

The remains of the late Dr. John A. McArthur were shipped to Ottawa this afternoon, where they were accompanied by Mrs. McArthur. No services were held here, the committal services to be held in Ottawa, where interment will take place, and where all the immediate relatives of the deceased live.

The death occurred in the Jubilee hospital yesterday of Giles Brewer, at the age of 56. The deceased, who had been employed by the city for some time past, was an expert in cement walk laying. He was a native of England, and came to this city about five years ago. He is survived by his wife. The funeral will take place on Monday morning at 10.30 from the family residence, 3147 Quadra street. Flowers may be left at the Hanna-Thomson parlors until Sunday morning.

### JESUIT MISSIONARIES.

Arrived Here This Afternoon—Will Conduct Mission for a Week.

The Jesuit missionaries, the Rev. Thomas A. Meagher and the Rev. Patrick J. O'Reilly, of Portland, arrived in the city this afternoon from Seattle on the 1 o'clock steamer. They will remain here for a week and will conduct a mission at St. Andrew's cathedral, Blanchard street, beginning to-morrow at 10.30 a. m. There will be four services daily, the first being at 5.30 a. m., which will consist of mass and a short instruction. At 8.30 a. m. there will be mass and a sermon. This will be followed by the way of the cross at 3.30 in the afternoon.

At 7.30 in the evening there will be special instructions for adults preparing for first communion and for those seeking information. These instructions will be followed by the rosary, mission sermon and benediction of the blessed sacrament. Confessions will be heard during the free time in the mornings and afternoons, and after services in the evenings. The papal blessing will be given at the close of the mission.

All are invited to attend the exercises of the mission and every courtesy will be shown to strangers.

## LONG LIST BEFORE THE COUNTY COURT

Many Cases Have Been Set Down for Hearing Which Begins Next Monday

The list for the sittings of the County Court which opens on December 2 at 11 a. m. is a long one. The following are the cases set down for hearing: Hick and Fraser v. Wright; Rhodes v. Starr Scenic Studio; Shuttleworth v. Koehne; Doumani v. Creece; Evans, Coleman & Evans v. Beers and Kettle; Banister v. Gillespie et al.; Ganga Ram v. Siddall; Murphy Electric Company v. Beers and Kettle; Lynch v. B. C. Auto Manufacturing Company; Vanheresse v. Rala Singh; Parslow v. Rala Singh; Rala Singh; Hutchison Brothers & Co. v. Anderson Construction Company; Nicholson & Co. v. Shuttleworth; Cadillac Garage Co. v. Newman; Ducrest v. Walker; Moore v. Dulvey; Taylor v. Parsons; Washington Tug & Barge Co. v. Anderson Cons. Co. et al.; Wiseman et al. v. Victoria Steam Laundry; Johnson v. Johnston et al.; Stinson v. Stedham; Smith v. De Merrill; Woodworkers, Ltd. v. Hurrell; Ridgways, Ltd. v. Butler; Henry v. Anderson Cons. Co. et al.; Baker et al. v. Anderson Cons. Co. et al.; Perkins et al. v. Anderson Cons. Co. et al.; Gillespie v. Anderson Cons. Co. et al.; Mackay v. Anderson Cons. Co. et al.; Lacandala et al. v. Anderson Cons. Co. et al.; Burlet et al. v. Anderson Cons. Co. et al.; Dilley v. Anderson Cons. Co. et al.; Ort v. Anderson Cons. Co. et al.; Broen et al. v. Anderson Cons. Co. et al.; Harp and Harp v. Anderson Cons. Co. et al.; Yve v. Anderson Cons. Co. et al.; Vanant v. Anderson Cons. Co. et al.; Amer et al. v. Anderson Cons. Co. et al.; McLeod v. Anderson Cons. Co. et al.; Swanson v. Anderson Cons. Co. et al.; Walls et al. v. Anderson Cons. Co. et al.; Lindquist et al. v. Anderson Cons. Co. et al.; Foster v. Anderson Cons. Co. et al.; Bickers v. Island Investment Co.; Johnston v. Anderson Cons. Co. et al.; Tison & Co. v. Collins; Blackburn v. Blackburn.

Appeals: Smith v. Catterall; Smith v. Watson. Trials from Previous sittings: Cooper v. Carter et al.; Bryce et al. v. Thompson et al.; Murray et al. v. Heath; Fletcher Brother v. Duerst et al.; Hamilton v. Raynes; Steret v. Cox; Lambert & Co. v. Redfern et al.; Horne v. Smith; Winsby v. Caldwell; Rala Singh v. Fakier Chand; Roy v. Wilson et al.; Cann v. Roberts; Ram Shand et al. v. Gilson et al.; Swift Can. Co. v. Jalland Brothers; Burgess v. Stedham; Ferris et al. v. Murray and Aves et al.; Columbia Paper Co. v. Dwyer; Newton & Greer Co. v. Smith et al.; Campbell v. Tite. Eight cases on judgment summonses have been set down.

## WILL SUBMIT BOTH BY-LAWS IN JANUARY

For Swimming Baths and Additional Sum to Build Jail—The Mayoralty Contest

Arrangements are still progressing which will have in view the submission of the by-law for swimming baths at the annual election. It had at first been thought desirable to submit it with the hospital by-law next month, but owing to the desirability of securing a full vote on the subject the date has been left over. At the annual election there will also be a measure to supplement the by-law for \$30,000 for a jail with an additional amount of \$40,000, which is the estimated cost of the proposed work of improvement. Mayor Beckwith is anxious to see these two measures through, and the subject will be introduced to the attention of the council shortly.

There is nothing fresh in connection with the coming mayoralty contest. The mayor is already in the field with organization work and his supporters meet this evening at the Fort block to discuss the preparations for the election.

## Personal

Mrs. Geo. Ledingham, 1515 Quadra street, will be at Home Tuesday, December 3, and following first Tuesday of each month during the season.

A ball has been arranged to take place on Tuesday, January 14, in the ballroom of the Alexandra Club, under the auspices of the Trafalgar Chapter of the Imperial Order of the Daughters of the Empire. The patrons will be His Honor the Lieut.-Governor and Mrs. Patterson; Sir Richard and Lady McCord; Hon. Dr. and Mrs. Young, Hon. W. J. and Mrs. Bowser, Hon. D. M. and Mrs. Eberts. Tickets will be on sale next week.

Last Wednesday afternoon a quiet home wedding was celebrated at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Le Huquet, when Miss Annie Le Huquet, daughter of Paris Sound, Ont., and a sister of Mrs. Le Huquet's, became the bride of Mr. Robert Elliott, of Vancouver, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Wm. Stevenson. The bride, who was dressed in a very becoming gown of shimmering white, was attended by Miss Ellen Halls, of Vancouver, as bridesmaid, the best man being John Le Huquet. Master Laverne Le Huquet played the Wedding March, and shortly after the conclusion of the ceremony the happy couple left for Vancouver, where they will make their home.

## BUILDING PERMITS ARE AT RECORD FIGURE

Total for November is Nearly \$800,000 and \$7,334,315 for Eleven Months

The building permits for November are easily above those for the corresponding month of 1911, and when the office closed to-day the total amounted to \$783,905, as against \$616,625 in November last year. The total for the eleven months is \$7,334,315, which is an excellent showing, and is a proof of the building activity of Victoria, which does not seem to have slackened with the winter season.

The principal building for which permits were issued this month were the High school, \$445,000; the Dominion theatre, \$42,000; the new automobile garage, North Park street for Simon Leiser, \$10,000, and the residence of Hon. W. J. Bowser, \$25,000.

There were 148 permits taken out, of which the bulk were for dwelling houses. This contrasts with 57 permits in November, 1911. The value of permits for eleven months of this year is 50 per cent. greater than for the first eleven months of 1911, when the total was \$3,733,965.

Recent permits granted are to E. H. Buttle, of Buttle & Harrison, for an eight-roomed dwelling house on Highland drive, costing \$5,000; to F. T. Penzance, of 2945 Blackwood street, and to H. Bickerdike, for a dwelling on Queen's avenue, costing \$3,800.

Court Vancouver to Meet.—The regular bi-monthly meeting of the Court of Vancouver, No. 755, A. O. F., will be held on Monday evening at 8 o'clock in the A. O. F. hall, Broad street. C. R. Bro. H. Prior, Jr., will preside. Much business will be brought up for discussion. All members are cordially invited to attend.

Home Nursing Club.—Dr. Donald will lecture to the Home Nursing Club on Monday night at 8 o'clock in the Alexandra Club.

## SICK WOMAN WITNESS IN DYNAMITE TRIALS

Was Warned by Union Official That Something Would Happen

Indianapolis, Ind., Nov. 30.—Threats of death for telling about explosions were related by Mrs. Alta M. Hawkins at the "dynamite conspiracy" trial to-day Mrs. Hawkins, attended by a nurse and suffering from injuries received in a recent shooting, was carried into court on a cot.

Mrs. Hawkins testified that a few days before explosions caused a loss of \$15,000 on the property of Albert von Spreckelsen in Indianapolis in 1909, she was told by Ernest G. W. Hasey, an ironworkers' union official, that something was going to happen on jobs where non-union workmen were employed. "He told me to look in the newspapers the next day and read about it," said Mrs. Hawkins.

"In the papers I saw nothing. Then he told me it did not come off that night, but to watch the next night. I did and about midnight heard the explosion. Hasey called me up on the telephone and told me I must keep my mouth shut. He said if I didn't I would be killed."

The witness said she was shot several weeks ago while hunting.

### BLOODHOUNDS TRAIL BANDITS.

Centralia, Wash., Nov. 30.—Louis county sheriff's office is making every effort to locate and capture two unknown bandits who entered the Spaulding bar in Chehalis last night and robbed the cash register and safe of \$235 after holding up the bartender at the point of a gun. The country south of Chehalis is being scourged with bloodhounds.

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# SPORTING NEWS

## HOW FOOTBALL IS PATRONIZED IN OLD COUNTRY LEAGUES

Some Idea of Growth of Game is Afforded by a Study of Attendance Registers—This Sport is Conducted on a Gigantic Scale

Some idea of the growth of modern football is afforded by a study of the attendance registers of the big Old Country leagues. During September, the first month of the new season, the two divisions of the football league, and the first division of the Southern and Scottish leagues found employment for no fewer than 1,172 players, to say nothing of those who were held in readiness as reserves for any emergency that might arise.

Is it to be wondered at when so many players have adopted football as a profession that the game has developed on business lines? No sport could exist on such a gigantic scale unless the principles of business were applied to it, and those who condemn the game because the commercial element has crept into it must surely have overlooked the fact that such a state of affairs was inevitable where so many players depend upon football for their daily bread.

From carefully kept records of the 78 clubs comprising the four greatest association leagues in the land we find that on an average the clubs have called upon 15 players each, some of whom have appeared in more than one department of the team. Here are striking figures which show how the players have been distributed in the short space of one month:

League	Players	Goalkeepers	Backs	Half-backs	Forwards
First league	296	23	56	84	139
Second league	252	25	50	78	137
Southern league	223	24	51	81	145
Scottish league	301	25	49	81	140

The Scottish league clubs, eighteen in number, have averaged over sixteen players, but it must be remembered that six weeks of their league season have now expired. One of their players, Grossart, of the Hibernians, has this season established a record which no other player in the four leading leagues can equal by occupying no fewer than five different positions, viz., inside right, centre half-back, right half-back, left half and centre forward.

Jones, of Tottenham Hotspur, is the only first league player who has played in three different berths, a record in which March of Bury, Martin of Portsmouth, and Kimpton of Southampton, share. The club that tried most experiments during the month was Sheffield United, who enlisted the services of twenty players, half of whom were forwards. On the contrary, Sheffield Wednesday were the only club that did not once find it necessary to make a single change in the personnel of their players.

Six first division clubs played the same goalkeeper, full-backs and half-backs in every engagement, viz., Bolton Wanderers, Everton, Manchester City, Notts County, Woolwich Arsenal and, of course, Sheffield Wednesday. The appended table shows the number

of players each club called upon for league team service:

Club	Players	Goalkeepers	Backs	Half-backs	Forwards
Aston Villa	18	1	4	6	7
Blackburn Rovers	13	1	3	5	4
Bolton Wanderers	13	1	3	5	4
Bradford City	17	2	4	6	5
Chelsea	15	1	3	5	6
Derby County	13	1	3	5	4
Everton	13	1	3	5	4
Liverpool	15	1	3	5	6
Manchester City	13	1	3	5	4
Manchester United	15	1	3	5	6
Middlesbrough	16	1	3	5	7
Newcastle United	18	1	3	6	8
Notts County	14	1	3	5	5
Oldham Athletic	14	1	4	4	5
Sheffield United	20	2	5	10	10
Sheffield Wednesday	11	1	2	3	5
Sunderland	16	2	4	8	8
Tottenham H.	16	1	3	6	7
West Brom. Alb.	13	1	3	5	4
Woolwich A.	14	1	2	3	8
<b>Total</b>	<b>296</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>139</b>

In the second division Bristol City alone relied upon the same eleven players in every match they played during September, and the clubs who went to the other extreme were Burnley, Leicester, Fosse and Stockport County, each of whom tried seventeen players. Huddersfield Town and Wolverhampton Wanderers, in addition to Bristol, did not change their defence or middle line; and four clubs did not once alter their forward formation, as the following figures show:

Club	Players	Goalkeepers	Backs	Half-backs	Forwards
Burnley	12	1	3	5	3
Birmingham	12	1	3	5	3
Blackpool	15	1	3	4	7
Bradford	14	1	3	5	5
Bristol City	11	1	3	5	2
Burnley	12	1	3	5	3
Bury	14	1	3	5	5
Clapton Orient	12	1	3	4	4
Fulham	14	1	4	4	5
Glossop	15	1	3	4	7
Grimby Town	15	1	3	5	6
Huddersfield T.	14	1	3	5	5
Hull City	13	1	3	4	5
Leeds City	12	1	3	4	4
Leicester Fosse	17	2	5	7	7
Lincoln City	13	1	3	4	5
Notts Forest	13	1	3	4	5
Preston N. E.	15	1	3	4	7
Stockport County	17	2	5	7	7
Wolverhampton	14	1	3	5	5
<b>Total</b>	<b>252</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>137</b>

Every Southern League club found it necessary to call upon a twelfth player; indeed, Gillingham and Plymouth Argyle alone contrived to get through the month with a dozen players, while Bristol Rovers and Millwall found a place for seventeen, as witness:

Club	Players	Goalkeepers	Backs	Half-backs	Forwards
Brentford	16	2	4	6	4
Brighton & Hove	14	1	3	5	5
Bristol Rovers	17	1	3	5	8
Coventry City	14	1	3	4	6
Crystal Palace	16	1	3	5	7
Exeter City	15	1	3	5	6
Gillingham	12	1	3	4	4
Merthyr Town	16	1	3	4	8
Millwall Athletic	17	1	3	5	8
Northampton	16	1	3	7	8
Norwich City	13	1	3	3	6
Plymouth Argyle	12	1	3	4	5
Queen's Park R.	14	1	3	5	5
Reading	15	1	3	4	7
Southampton	14	1	3	4	6
Stoke	15	2	3	3	7
Swindon Town	14	1	3	4	6
Watford	16	2	3	4	7
West Ham United	13	1	3	3	6
<b>Total</b>	<b>293</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>145</b>

Across the border, Morton claimed the distinction of being the only club to play the same eleven in all their September engagements, and Third Lanark made use of the largest number of players, viz., nineteen, trying no fewer than ten of them in the forward line.

Club	Players	Goalkeepers	Backs	Half-backs	Forwards
Aberdeen	17	2	3	4	8
Aldershot	15	2	3	5	5
Celtic	15	2	3	4	7
Dundee	13	1	3	4	5
Dundee	16	2	3	5	7
Falkirk	15	1	3	5	6
Hamilton Accies	13	1	3	4	5
Hearts of Mid.	15	1	3	4	7
Hibernians	17	2	3	5	7
Kilmarnock	15	1	4	5	5
Motherwell	16	1	3	4	8
Morton	11	1	3	3	4
Patrick Thistle	18	1	4	6	10
Queen's Park	16	1	3	5	10
Glasgow Rangers	18	2	3	5	9
St. Mirren	12	1	3	3	5
Third Lanark	19	3	5	10	10
Raith Rovers	17	2	3	5	8
<b>Total</b>	<b>301</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>140</b>

### ENGLAND TAKES CUP.

Sydney, N. S. W., Nov. 30.—The Davis Cup was won yesterday by England. Brooks (Australia) defeated Dixon (England) 6-2, 6-4; Parkes (the Irish crack) defeated Heath (Australia).

## ACTIVITY AMONGST THE AMATEUR CLUBS

Three Team League With Triple Schedule Ought to Provide Exciting Race

Amateur hockey ought to have a big season in the capital this winter, if the enthusiasm the clubs are showing counts. With three teams in the City League, the officers of the different clubs are engaged in a merry chase for players and when the clubs line out many new faces will be seen. The entry of the B. C. Telephone and Y. M. C. A. into the league, also the Victoria City club, gives the local fans a trio of new clubs to root for, with the players who took part in the scheduled games last year pretty much divided.

Many Changes Reported.

The Victoria City club has landed the stars who captured the championship last year for the North Wards, and while the Y. M. C. A. are claiming McPherson, a former Montrealeur, who has been turning out with the Victorias, the latter team state that he will continue to play with the City seven. The B. C. Telephone has gathered together a very speedy forward line, who make up in speed what they lack in weight.

A meeting of the league will be held at the Y. M. C. A. next Wednesday night, when the schedule will be drawn up and the opening arrangements attended to.

### MORRIS' QUICK WIN.

Atlanta, Ga., Nov. 30.—Carl Morris, of Oklahoma, knocked out Jack McFarland, of New York, in the first round of their scheduled 16-round bout here last night. The fight lasted less than a minute, McFarland taking the count after stopping a left hook.

### ROYALTY

## WILL NOT RETIRE

Many rumors have been current from time to time during the reign of the late King Edward, and since King George has come to the throne, that both monarchs would retire from the turf. Only quite recently a similar report was circulated and cabled to this side, and received due publicity. The rumor did not come, however, but a report from the English press shows that there is no truth in it. The London Sportsman says:

"The canard has been industriously circulated in certain quarters that his Majesty contemplates giving up racing and blood-stock breeding. I am enabled to state on authority, which is absolutely beyond question, that there is no vestige of foundation for any such report. The king is very keenly interested in his stud and stables, and his interest has increased rather than diminished since he first saw his colors carried. There has never at any time been any inclination on his part to abandon a sport which he enjoys and it is little short of scandalous that ignorant busybodies should camp up rumors of the sort to which I am now referring. Nothing but a malignant hatred of the turf can have inspired the invention of such a grossly untrue fabrication, and it is high time that this should be put on record—as I now put it—in terms which cannot be misunderstood."

### TRAIN AT TORONTO.

Canadiens Will Begin Practicing in the Queen City.

Montreal, Nov. 30.—While the Patriks failed to land Pire for one of the teams in the West, they have now made another attack on the Canadiens by making Jack Laviolette an offer.

In speaking of the deal Manager Kennedy stated that there was no chance of Laviolette going West if salary would hold him here. He has not yet signed with the Canadiens, but has given his word to play here this winter. Should there be no ice to train on after December 15, the Canadiens will be sent to Toronto to train on the artificial ice at the new arena there.

## CANADIAN JOCKEY BEST AT THE LAUREL MEET

Jimmy Butwell, Canadian, proved himself to be the leading jockey at the recent race meeting held during the month of October at Laurel Park, Md. Teahan, who was the riding sensation of the year on the Canadian tracks, finished second to Butwell, although he rode the same number of winners. Joe Byrne, who rode The Manager in all of his starts at Laurel, comes next. He was home first twelve times, had the same number of place mounts, got the short end of the purse eleven times, and failed to figure in 48 other chances. McTaggart, who is said to be by many the best jockey on the American turf to-day proved a disappointment at the Laurel meeting. He was first only eleven times, second nine times and third ten times. On the other hand, Butwell was first fifteen times, second

thirty-one times and third twenty-three times. McTaggart failed to get in the money forty-two times, and Butwell missed forty-three chances. When Lahore beat The Manager in the big \$5,000 stake race on the closing day of the Laurel meet, it was only through the magnificent ride put up by Butwell that he was able to beat The Manager. Both Blass and Martin made fine records at Laurel, which placed them in a class with the leaders. Kerr and Lynch, steepchase riders, had but one chance each during the October meeting, and both were successful in crossing under the wire first. Stevenson did the best riding of the meet over the hurdles. He had six mounts, and was in the money five times, with one winner and four seconds.

## STICKS BY THE COAST LEAGUE



TOMMY DUNDERDALE

Clever rover of the Victoria Hockey Club, who will arrive in the city tomorrow morning, Dunderdale has made a host of friends on the Coast by his refusal to break his word and his good example has been followed by others. He will be out to practice Monday afternoon.

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## LUTHERAN CHURCH IS TO BE DEDICATED

Congregation of St. Paul's Lutheran Church to Occupy New Church To-morrow

The new St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran church, at the corner of Princess avenue and Chambers street, will be formally consecrated to-morrow, when special forenoon and evening services will be held to commemorate the occasion. Rev. O. T. Just, of Christ church, Vancouver, will give the Sunday morning sermon in German. Rev. Prof. Armin Paul Meyer, president of the Pacific Lutheran Seminary, Olympia, Washington, having promised to give the English reading at this service. The evening services will be conducted by Rev. Charles Rush, of Emanuel Lutheran church, Spokane, Rev. Otto Gerlich, the pastor of the church, giving a German reading.

The new church, which has just been completed, replaces the old building on Alar street, which was occupied until last spring, when, finding that the congregation had quite outgrown the accommodation, the church members decided to dispose of the old property, and to purchase a new site on which they might erect a more commodious building, little delay being experienced between the time of their decision and the realization of their plan. The new building, while of modest exterior, has a seating capacity within for two hundred persons, and amply satisfies the present needs of the congregation. There are two entrances, one on Chambers street, the other on Princess avenue. F. Parfitt has undertaken to reorganize the choir, which has been specially considered in the construction of the church, while an orchestra is to be formed which will prove a further attraction to the congregation. The chancel is proportionately large, and adds to the dignity and richness of the interior, and there is altogether a vast improvement over the old building.

Pastor Well Liked.  
Rev. Otto Gerlich, the pastor, is still a young man, and for the last three years has been connected with the church, having done a great deal to bring about the conditions which have made the new church necessary and possible. A graduate of Columbia University, Ohio, he held a temporary position in a church in the States, which, however, may not properly be called a charge, so that his office as pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran church is, properly speaking, his first incumbency. He was preceded in his pastorate by Rev. Mr. Heilike, who held the growing flock together in a very able fashion despite the narrowing limits of the church capacity.

Adjoining the new church, in the lot on Chambers street, a new parsonage has been erected, which is also an improvement over the previous condition of affairs.  
It is interesting to note, in connection with the history of the St. Paul's Lutheran church, that the original organization was formed twelve years ago at Spring Ridge, the German element in the city being gathered together, and taking over the little church formerly used by the Icelandic people who had formed themselves many years previously into a small community in that district. That church was moved shortly afterwards to Meier street, and has formed until recently the headquarters of the congregation in this city. The opening of the new church is being remarked with great interest by the Lutherans of Victoria, and will doubtless form the beginning of a new era in the life of the church here.

## LOCAL NEWS

**Friendly Help Association.**—The Friendly Help Association will hold their monthly meeting on Tuesday, December 3, at 11 o'clock, in the rooms, Market building.

**Sacred Concert.**—The members of Signor Claudio's music class will give a sacred concert in the Crystal theatre to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

**Died in London.**—James Trueman, a pioneer of this province, died to-day in London, England. The deceased, who was greatly respected, was seventy-three years of age.

**Fifth Regiment Rifle Association.**—A meeting of the Fifth Regiment Rifle Association will be held in the Drill hall on Monday December 2 at 8 p. m. A full attendance is requested.

**Election of Officers.**—The Young People's Society of the First Baptist church held their regular meeting on Monday evening at eight o'clock. Roll-call and business and consecration session, subject: Gratitude. The election of officers for the new year will also take place and a full attendance of the members is expected.

**Election of Officers.**—Far West, No. 1, K. of P., elected the following officers for the ensuing term at their meeting last evening: C. C. H. B. Hovens; V. C.; W. Lemm; Prel., H. R. Brown; M. of W., W. G. Allison; K. of B. and S., F. F. R. Sewell; M. of F., W. P. Smith; M. of Exch., A. J. Cookley; M. at A., G. H. Atkins; I. G., H. Aspin; O. G., J. W. Elliott.

country around where now stand New Westminster and Victoria. Later he invented largely in Vancouver and Victoria real estate and at the close of his life was immensely wealthy.

**Fines for Autoists.**—Yesterday at the Oak Bay police court two owners of motor cars were fined ten dollars each for not having their numbers properly illuminated.

**Building in Oak Bay.**—A building permit was issued yesterday by the Oak Bay engineer to D. W. Irving for a seven-roomed house on Deal street at an estimated cost of \$3,200.

**Will Preach at Presbyterian Church.**—Rev. Dr. Dodds, of Tacoma, will occupy the pulpit at the First Presbyterian church at both morning and evening services.

**Oak Bay Council.**—The Oak Bay council meets on Monday evening in the Oak Bay hall at 8 o'clock. A good deal of interesting routine business will come before the body.

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**Mrs. Wood to Sing.**—Madame Marie Wood will be the soloist at the morning service to-morrow in First Presbyterian church, singing the aria, "O Rest in the Lord," from the Elijah.

**Discussion Continued.**—To-morrow the subject, "Does Christianity Pay?" will be further pursued at the local Y. M. C. A. A clergyman, lawyer and mechanic will all speak on the subject and give their ideas. A good attendance is expected.

**City Greenhouse.**—The greenhouse for the city building at Beacon Hill park is rapidly approaching completion, and will be available at an early date. The roof glass is now being inserted.

**Manager on Mainland.**—A. T. Goward, general manager of the B. C. E. Railway, left town last evening for Vancouver, where he will spend the week-end. He will return to Victoria on Monday.

**Theatrical Stage Employees.**—The regular general meeting of Local No. 168 will be held to-morrow evening in Labor hall at 8 o'clock. Election of officers and other important business will be disposed of. A punctual and full attendance is requested.

**Sale on Thursday.**—The Ladies' Aid of First Presbyterian church will hold their annual sale of fancy work, home-made candy, etc., on Thursday afternoon and evening of next week, at the residence of Mrs. J. O. Brown, 1205 Fernwood road, corner of Fort street.

**Citizens' Committee.**—A meeting of the finance committee of the citizens' committee will be held in the Real Estate Exchange rooms in the Pemberton building on Tuesday next at 8 p. m. The idea of the meeting is to consider the probable cost of the Victoria Carnival week in August next and the best way in which to meet it.

**Natural History Society.**—At the meeting on Monday at 3 p. m. in the Friends' hall, Courtney street, Dr. Tomalin will contribute a short note on "The Value of Birds as Insect Destroyers," and F. Napier Denison will describe his new seismograph, and make a communication on "Local Earthquakes."

**Alexandra Club Guest Day.**—The regular monthly "Guest Day" will be observed at the Alexandra Club on Monday afternoon, when the ballroom will be arranged for the accommodation of the members and their friends. A musical programme is being arranged, and refreshments will be served, and it is hoped that all members of the club will evince an interest in the occasion by being present in person.

**Visit City Engineer.**—In connection with the visit of Reeve Kerr the councillors and Municipal Engineer Clement to the minister of public works with regard to the highway between after the wants of the young people who attend the bazaar given by the St. Agnes' Guild and the Ladies' Guild of St. James' church. Many will be able to replenish their supply of jugs from those hanging on the wall, but seeking after Xmas presents will find their wants supplied at the bag table, the gift table, and the household table. Should any be still unsatisfied, the "odds and ends" table will make up for all deficiencies. Candy will be sold and tea served both afternoon and evening.

**Realty Dinner.**—Arrangements are being made for the big celebration dinner to be given under the auspices of the Real Estate Exchange, in the Empress hotel, on December 18. A strong committee is now at work arranging the invitation list of a number of provincial notables, and it is not improbable that prominent realty men from other parts of the continent will be in attendance. It has been proposed to ask Sir Richard McBride, as well as other members of the provincial cabinet, to attend, and an attractive programme is being drawn up.

**Numerous Inquiries.**—Inquiries at the Vancouver Island Development League this morning were numerous and varied, though they were mostly applications for Victoria literature and information about the Island. One letter from Manitou states that the writer is contemplating a trip to the coast and intends to settle down in Victoria if he can find a nice location for a store. A writer from Waterford asks for maps and pictures of the Island while the most prominent druggist in Nuskoka expresses his intention of making his abode in Victoria.

**Board of Trade.**—The Board of Trade will meet next week, probably on Friday afternoon, and among other business the consideration of the agricultural committee report will be attempted. The monthly general meeting of the board is scheduled for

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Thursday, December 12, but the holding of it is contingent upon there being sufficient business brought forward in the meantime. Should any member of the board desire to have some particular matter discussed he is requested to forward a note of it at once to the secretary.

**Parade to Church.**—The Fifth Regiment will assemble at the drill hall hall to-morrow afternoon at 2:15 o'clock preliminary to marching to Christ Church cathedral, where services will be conducted by Bishop Roper in the absence of Rev. Mr. Barton, the regimental chaplain. On returning to the drill hall the balance of the efficiency pay will be distributed to those who have not yet received it. The Artillery Association bonuses will also be distributed to those specialists who were not present at the last parade.

**Santa Claus to Be There.**—Santa Claus will be in the gymnasium at 120 Menzies street on Tuesday, to look after the wants of the young people who attend the bazaar given by the St. Agnes' Guild and the Ladies' Guild of St. James' church. Many will be able to replenish their supply of jugs from those hanging on the wall, but seeking after Xmas presents will find their wants supplied at the bag table, the gift table, and the household table. Should any be still unsatisfied, the "odds and ends" table will make up for all deficiencies. Candy will be sold and tea served both afternoon and evening.

**A Delayed Letter.**—A resident of Strawberry Vale called at the Times office yesterday to complain of the slow delivery of a letter addressed to him. The epistle was mailed in this city on November 16, and although he lives only three miles away, he did not receive it until November 16. What made the circumstance particularly annoying was that the letter was from an old friend of the recipient who desired to visit him, but never having been in the city before and not knowing the location of his house, decided to get into touch with him first by letter. He had left town three or four days before the resident of Strawberry Vale received the letter.

**Delegation Meets Minister.**—Hon. Dr. Young, minister of education, yesterday received a deputation from South Vancouver in reference to the school needs of that municipality. It was composed of C. M. Whelpton, Robert H. Neelands, Arthur J. Michelson, and Alexander Graham, the latter being the municipal inspector. The delegates pointed out that owing to the development of their district and the extraordinary growth of the town itself a very large amount of money would be required for new schools, as well as for an extension of existing schools and grounds. They presented a memorandum showing that they would call for \$425,000 and they asked that under the circumstances a grant from the provincial treasury should be made. The minister expressed his

warm sympathy with the needs of South Vancouver and promised to present their request to his colleagues for their consideration.

**St. Luke's Sale.**—The senior and junior ladies' guilds of St. Luke's church, Cedar Hill, held a most successful bazaar and entertainment in the church hall yesterday afternoon and evening, a big crowd of people visiting the sale and purchasers proving ready. The hall was very attractively decorated for the occasion, and under the direction of the president, Mrs. Beale, and the various guild members, a number of prettily arranged stalls did a big business. The senior guild had charge of the juvenile sale and the fancy goods, while the junior guild operated the Aunt Sallie, also taking charge of the fish-pond, the candy stall, and the fancy goods counter. In the evening an excellent concert was given by Miss Irving and Miss Whitaker, who gave an instructive duet; Mr. Lytton, who gave a flute solo, accompanied by Mrs. Lytton at the piano; Mr. Paerie, who sang; Mrs. Plinton, who played the violin, accompanied by her daughter; Mr. Pilkington, and a number of others. The proceeds, which were most gratifying, will go toward the removal of the debt on the church hall.

**Tel El Mahuta.**—The regular monthly session of Tel El Mahuta Temple No. 155, D. O. G. K. K., will be held on Monday evening in the K. of P. hall, corner of Douglas and Pandora streets. The business will be the election of officers for the ensuing term. All members are requested to be present.



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Mrs. E. H. Jackson is in the city from Toronto and is staying at the Empress hotel.

J. D. Milliken arrived from Port Alberni yesterday and is registered at the Empress hotel.

Miss G. L. Meyer has arrived in the city from Portland and is staying at the Empress hotel.

Mrs. George E. Powell has arrived in the city from Vancouver and is registered at the Empress.

J. Sherman Haynes has arrived in the city from Vancouver and is staying at the Dominion hotel.

Mrs. A. G. King, 619 Moss street, will not receive on Tuesday, nor again until the first Tuesday in February.

Very Rev. Joseph Nicolay, V. G. Ladysmith, is a guest at the Bishop's palace, Yates street, completing arrangements for his coming six months' visit to Holland, his old home.

A very enjoyable party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Manson, 128 Oscar street, on Tuesday night, in honor of their eldest daughter's marriage to Mr. H. Baker, and their youngest daughter's birthday. About thirty young people sat down to a very dainty supper, presided over by Mrs. Elliott and Mrs. Leigh, after which a presentation was made by Mr. G. Allen to the bride and bridegroom, of two lovely arm-chairs, on behalf of the young men present, and also Miss Lily Manson of a lovely suede purse. There were also a number of other useful and costly presents given, after which the young people indulged in dancing and games until the early hours of the morning.

Last night in Alexandra Club ballroom, which was beautifully decorated, the Invitation Dancing Club held their second dance of the season. Excellent music was furnished by Miss Thain's orchestra and a dainty supper was served at 11 o'clock. Among those present were: Lady McBride, Mrs. A. W. Bridgman, Mrs. Stuart Robertson and Mrs. Alan Dumbleton, all of whom were on the dance committee; Mr. and Mrs. Cookson, Mrs. Arthur Crease, Mrs. W. J. Roper, Mr. and Mrs. Muskett, Mrs. Gerald Bevan (Vancouver), Mrs. Trevor Cross, Mrs. George, Mrs. Walter Langley, Mr. and Mrs. Chatter, Mrs. Payne, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Elliot, Mr. and Mrs. Brotherton, Mr. and Mrs. Wilmot, Mrs. Burge, Mr. and Mrs. T. Longhurst, Mr. and Mrs. Alexis Martin, Mrs. Hugh Rogers, Miss Robers, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Basil Prior, Mrs. Beresford-Hogg, Mrs. E. G. Tilton, Miss Evelyn Tilton, Mr. and Mrs. Davis, Mrs. Bodwell, Mrs. Douglas Hunter, Mrs. Musgrave, Mrs. Lewis Cuppage, Mrs. Hassell, Miss Jessop, Miss Dodwell, Miss Cross, Miss Thompson, Miss Brown, Miss Little, the Misses Dunsmuir, Miss Jessie Prior, Miss Phyllis Mason, Miss Eberts, Miss Vera Mason, Miss Eileen McKay, the Misses Pitts, Miss McVie, Miss Naomi Holmes, Miss Bainbridge-Smith, Miss Wilson, Miss Kenny, Miss Lottie Bowron, Miss Dumbleton, the Misses Devereux, the Misses Hickey, Miss Battle, Miss Mara, Miss Drake, Messrs. Byng Hall, H. Garrett, Dickson, Treva-James, Hamilton, Jessop, Bovill, Silver, Arbuckle, O'Grady, Payne, Col. W. J. H. Holmes, Capt. Exerard-Jones, Messrs. C. Beresford-Hogg, Bridgman, McVie, Cameron, Lindley, Crease, Mogg, and many others.

The reception held last evening by the executive of the Victoria Women's Club, 647 Fort street, was a most delightful event, dancing, bridge and music passing away the time in a manner which was much enjoyed by guests, both young and old. There was a large attendance of guests, in addition to members a number of members' friends being present. The drawing rooms were turned over to the bridge players, six tables being arranged for this, while dancing took place in the dining-room, which was cleared for the purpose, Miss Woodcock providing the necessary music. She also accompanied Mr. Waddington and "Miss Pocock, who sang a number of popular songs which were heartily enjoyed. The club looked very festive, garlands of ivy leaves intertwined with red forming the decorations in the dining-room, while gold and white chrysanthemums arranged in vases formed the decorations in the drawing-rooms, all the preparations being in the able hands of Miss Fitzpatrick Smith and Mrs. Fred Waddington, the secretary-treasurer, assisted by Miss Cotworth. Delicious refreshments were passed around later in the evening, and the function was pronounced by one and all to be most successful. It is intended to conduct these receptions on a much larger scale in the new premises which are to be taken over shortly, and it is hoped that members will take advantage of the opportunity of entertaining their friends. The annual meeting for the election of officers and other club business will take place next Friday evening.

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### The Evening Chit-Chat

By Ruth Cameron

"And now let's see what's in the next window. Oh, I do love to look at pretty things."

I was standing in front of a shop window in which a riot of exquisitely tinted scarfs, delectable fabrics, magnificently fragile laces and voluptuous furs was displayed, when I heard the above remark. It was uttered in a voice so thoroughly happy and full of pleasure that I instinctively turned to look at the speaker.

I saw a middle-aged woman with a sweet, refined face and very shabby clothes. Her hat I reckoned to have been made in 1910 and crummed in 1911. Her gray suit dated back to the days of pleated skirts and three-quarter coats. Her gloves were much worn, and she had absolutely none of the accessories in the way of furs and laces and scarfs at which she was gazing.

And yet her voice was so full of pleasure that it had attracted my attention, and her face was ecstatic as her voice.

Lucky woman! What if she has none of the lovely things which I plain she appreciates so fully? She has something infinitely more valuable; she possesses one of the most potent of all the keys to happiness—the ability to enjoy beauty without possessing it.

The world is full of beautiful things; to look at beauty is one of the most natural and most healthy sources of happiness. And yet there are a great many people so built that they cannot really enjoy anything however beautiful unless it belongs to them.

The desire for possession is one of the most deep-rooted and enduring of human passions. From the baby who reaches out his hand for the bright object that attracts him and cries when he cannot have it, to the old man who schemes by an ingenious will to keep his hold on his possessions even beyond the grave, we are all more or less slaves.

It takes a philosopher to break the chains and to realize that true content does not necessarily lie in possession. And this woman was evidently a philosopher. Think of all the infinite riches that are hers. Wealthy people are often discontented because even their wealth has a limit. Hers has none; all that she sees is hers to enjoy because she can enjoy it without possessing it.

"It makes me perfectly miserable to have to be with Rosamond," a rather plain girl said to me once, "because she is so beautiful and I am unhappy because I never can look like that."

You see she was an abject slave of the desire for possession.

How much happier is the state of mind of another woman who says, "I think I enjoy a beautiful woman as much as a man does. You see I love beauty for itself and whether I find it in a man or a woman, a ship or a sky or a flower, I take pleasure in it."

Lucky the man or woman who can teach himself or herself to enjoy

beauty without forever coveting it, for the world is full of beauty and hence full of happiness for such a one.

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Arthur Hartmann, the violinist, who is to appear here next Monday evening at the Victoria theatre, made his first American tour in 1906-7, which resulted in a series of triumphs from Halifax to the Pacific coast. So great was his success, and so numerous the requests for re-engagements, that he returned for a second tour in October, 1908, remaining in this continent until May, 1909. At the close of this second tour of America, Mr. Hartmann was immediately engaged for a tour of Scandinavia, during which he played no less than sixty-seven concerts in sixty-nine days. In Denmark, Hartmann enjoys the personal friendship of Grieg, while in Holland he made a tour with Katherine Goddard, the English pianist. In Paris he is well known, and has given no less than nine concerts in this French capital. Bulgaria, Roumania, Poland, Austria, Germany are all well-known territory, and he has received the most favorable

role. With Tarquini will be heard Sig. Armanini, in the role of Mateo. "La Bohème," which will be the third offering at the Victoria, will again call for Matini, who will sing Mimì. Rita D'Oria, lyric soprano, will be the Musetta; Signor Agostini, tenor, is cast for the role of Rodolfo, which he created in this country several years ago; Sig. Giovacchini, baritone, who sang here last season, will sing Marcel, and Signor Martino, an eminent basso, will have the part of Colline. The opera will be given a superb stage setting.

According to the prominence of the



ARTHUR HARTMANN, GREAT VIOLINIST, AT THE VICTORIA THEATRE NEXT MONDAY NIGHT.

much-talked-of and often maligned creature, but seldom does one hear a word, good or ill, about the chorus man. And yet, that he does exist in goodly numbers is evidenced by the fact that in the chorus of "The Quaker Girl," which comes to Victoria theatre for two nights starting January 7, there are nearly twenty male voices, and they can sing and dance with all the grace and beauty of the skitred members, too. But there are not very many chorus men of American birth and rearing. In fact, the critical choosers of "The Quaker Girl" chorus had to go to England for them. They said the American man of the chorus didn't seem to be able to wear evening clothes as if he felt comfortable in them, but in "Old Lutton" there are Beau Brunnels in every walk of life who wear their gala attire as if to the manner born and warble and dance and flirt in a way our business-like Americans can never seem to acquire.

"A Romance of the Underworld."

"A Romance of the Underworld," in which Holbrook Blinn will appear at the Victoria theatre on December 11, was instantaneous success at its premiere in Chicago and held the boards for a period of three months. Popular as his previous plays have been, Paul Armstrong, the playwright, has made his other dramas pale into insignificance with this new effort, an elaboration of the sketch of the same name and which scored a tremendous hit in the vaudeville houses for the past two seasons. The play will be presented by a powerful cast which includes, in addition to Mr. Blinn, Anna McDonald, Ruth Benson, Charles Mylott, George

Miller, James Marcus, Leonard Hollister, Benjamin Piazza and W. Tammany Young.

"The Rose of Panama."

When John Cort presents his new Viennese operetta, "The Rose of Panama," at Victoria theatre at an early date the occasion will introduce to local music lovers Chapine, the petite French prima donna who possesses such an unusual quantity of personal magnetism as an asset to her delightful voice that she won't instantaneous favor at the premiere presentation of the opera at Italy's Theatre, New York, last season.

Princess Theatre.

"Baby Mine" at the Princess the coming week is one of the latest comedy successes. It was written by Margaret Mayo, and the press all over the country claims that it is the funniest play ever written.

It was played in this city October 10 and made a great hit. The Williams Company, after much hard work, were successful in obtaining it for a week's engagement. The plot of the piece, which appeared in the New York Times, is that a husband and wife have had a serious quarrel. The husband leaves home saying that he will never return. The wife, who really loves him, is so anxious to get him back that she listens to the persuasion of some of her friends, who claim that if she will adopt a child and pass it off as her own, she will regain her husband's love. Alfred, the husband, is very fond of children, and always regretted that they had none.

She consents to the deception, and the promise of a child from an orphan

asylum is secured. Everything is in readiness, a night message is sent to Alfred and the child is expected at any moment, when the wife receives a message saying that at the last moment the mother refused to give the baby up. To complicate matters, the husband receives a day message instead of a night one and arrives several hours before the time set. Their frantic efforts to procure a child, and also to keep him from discovering the true state of affairs, is uproariously funny.

Miss Mildred Page is cast for the wife, and Mr. Belasco for the important part of Jimmy Bliss, the unfortunate scapegoat, who tries to steal, beg or borrow another baby. Miss Margaret Doyle, who was with the company last season, is engaged for two weeks, and her first appearance will be made in "Baby Mine." Miss Doyle is a great favorite in Vancouver, where she has been in stock all season. She made many friends while here last year and will be warmly welcomed back. "Baby Mine," an unexcelled comedy, will be played all week, with Wednesday and Saturday Matinees.

#### CANADA'S MERCHANT MARINE.

In the calendar year 1911 there were built and registered in Canada 339 vessels, measuring 27,754 tons. As during the year 279 vessels were removed from the Dominion's shipping register for various causes, there were left on the books at the close of the year 8,058 vessels of 770,446 tons. Of the whole 2,444 were steamers measuring 588,741 tons gross. The estimated value of all the vessels registered is \$23,113,350. Roughly, 41,500 persons find employment in the industry. Of the 142 registered steamships of 1,000 tons or over, a large proportion is in the St. Lawrence and the Great Lakes traffic. Last year the standing of the province, according to the net tonnage of both sailing and steam vessels, was: Ontario, 276,877 tons; Quebec, 193,632 tons; Nova Scotia, 142,631 tons; British Columbia, 122,264 tons; New Brunswick, 55,872 tons; Prince Edward Island, 9,683 tons; Manitoba, 6,373 tons; Yukon, 2,768 tons, and Saskatchewan, 256 tons. The high standing of British Columbia is due partly to the fact that many of the ships of the Canadian Pacific fleet are registered there. Thus Vancouver is fourth in the list of ship-owning ports in Canada, with 45,573 tons to its credit, Victoria being second with 65,350 tons. Toronto is third, with 57,513 tons, first place being held by Montreal, with 145,274 tons.

A little lad was found on the street crying bitterly because his cart was broken.

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"No, he can't," sobbed the boy. "My father is a preacher, and don't know anything."

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criticisms everywhere that he has toured. On his present tour he will be accompanied by William Reddick, the Kentucky pianist, who is well known for his sympathetic following of singers and players.

#### "The Typhoon."

The great care exercised by Walker Whiteside in the selection of his company for his tour in "The Typhoon," which is acclaimed the most powerful play given to the stage in more than a decade, is evidenced by the prominence of those engaged in his support. Miss Florence Fisher, his leading woman, who appears in the exacting role of Ilona Werner in this singularly strange play, is a graduate of a fashionable finishing school in Washington, D. C., and won her initial renown as an important member of the company of Madame Nazimova. Stephen Wright, who appears as the dean of the Japanese diplomats in "The Typhoon" has for many years been considered among the foremost of American character actors. Down to the smallest part, it is said that Mr. Whiteside has selected players who give full value to their respective roles, giving to this vital and significant play a performance probably never before accompanied with a traveling organization. Wherever the company has appeared this fact has been emphasized by critical reviewers, and the star's endeavor to surround himself with players entirely capable is apparently reflected in the matchless performance of this remarkable work. Patrons of the Victoria theatre will be privileged to see this fine organization on Tuesday evening next.

Lambard Opera Company. "Madame Butterfly," "Conchita," "La Bohème," "Salome." A repertoire which would make the music lovers of the greatest operatic capitals study the opera dates with the closest interest. When Mme. Amina Matini, the noted lyric soprano of the Pacific Coast (Lambard) Grand Opera Company, appeared at Portland recently in the role of Cho Cho San, in Puccini's beautiful Japanese opera, the music critics wrote that she was by far the most superb artist who had ever appeared there in that role. The cast of principals in "Butterfly" when that opera is sung here at the Victoria theatre, will also embrace Sig. Giuseppe Armanini, the distinguished tenor, late of La Scala, Milan, and Sig. Francesco Nicoletti, baritone, who will sing the part of Sharpless.

Conchita, the new Zandonai opera, which has not been heard in any Canadian city save Vancouver, will bring forward Mme. Tarquinia Tarquini, lyric soprano, who is the only artist who has yet been entrusted with the

principal artists, the numerical and artistic strength of the newly-organized Lambard company, the coming opera season should be the most important in the theatrical history of Victoria. The seat sale opens Tuesday, December 3. The company will open a three-night engagement on Thursday night.

#### "The Quaker Girl."

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When a quiet, pleasant voice, with no trace of a foreign accent in it, had invited the "Times" man up to the great artist's room in the Empress, Mr. Hartmann was found taking his because, loved violin out of its velvet-padded "This is my Strad," he said as he touched the perfect instrument with reverent fingers. "You would not think to look at it that it is over two hundred years old, would you? Yes, 1711 is the date. It has no history to speak of, I'm afraid. I know that most of its owners have strange tales to tell, but mine seems to have led a singularly quiet life.

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The Humanity of Bach.

"What is your favorite composition?" asked the "Times" man. "I cannot say that I have got any real favorite," he answered—"individually, but I like best of all those pieces which sing, which seem to come straight from the soul.

"Bach is easily my favorite composer. He is so tender, so human. His music is the acolian music that the wind of God draws from human heart-strings. A wonderful poet, too. A good many people seem to have the idea that Bach's music, because it is counterpoint is mathematic, scientific—without soul.

"Where they get that idea from I do not know. For myself I feel like his great grandchild. I feel as if I could climb on to his knee and look into his face and talk to him. There is no anything in music to-day, whatever kind you may take, and great as our modern composers are and have been, that cannot be traced back to him as the fountain-head.

"He was a very human man. I feel that when I am playing him, trying to interpret, as it were, the tender music of his soul. I should like to buy the whole 180 volumes of Bach and study them just as Mozart did. Three years' quiet study of a great heart like that would help a man."

Has Travelled Far.

"I have been on my present tour for two months," said the musician, "and I shall keep on till May. I am a long way from Paris and my dear home near the Bois de Boulogne. The musical life takes one far afield and I have travelled in Europe, America, Africa, many times. Practically every inch of Europe is known to me, from Hammersfest to Constantinople, from the Atlantic to the Ural mountains. "How do I occupy my time when not practicing? Why, for one thing I read incessantly in the four languages that I know. I think if one has mastered the Hungarian tongue the rest come easy. It is a difficult language. "It is still my dream to go to Australia. It has a great lure for me just now and I shall make the trip at the first opportunity.

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"I think that some day soon there will arise on this continent a great tone poet who will transfer the mighty power of the marvellous age of the present into music that will never die. He will be a Western product, of that I feel sure, for here alone is the mightiness of mountain and forest, and of the stark, unrelenting forces of nature which can produce the soul big enough for the task.

"At the present time," went on Mr. Hartmann, "there is no real American music—but the time is not far distant. The greatest city in the world today for art and music is undoubtedly Paris. Nowhere on earth is there a more critical audience. They will quarrel with the slightest hitch in the rendering of a phrase, and their standards are very high. But once won their hearts (it is no easy matter) and their cordial appreciation is a most wonderfully stimulative thing.

"City of Great Endeavor." "I wonder why it is," said Mr. Hartmann ruminatively. "That so many people look upon Paris as the apotheosis of frivolity and emptiness. It is a totally wrong impression, for the hard work and great endeavor of bands students and toilers in the fields of art, science, and medicine, cannot be imitated anywhere in the world. I love my Paris. I love it because it is the thick of the fight, the storm centre, as one might say, of the art of the world. And that is why I love it.

"There is one musician in Paris I would like to mention, whom I hope you will see out here in the West some day soon. And that is Charles W. Clark, whom I consider to be the



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greatest baritone artist in existence—I use the word 'artist' advisedly. "When I am not touring I instruct pupils in Paris, but I get really little time for that."

Mr. Hartmann omitted that he has found time also to become one of the famous composers of modern days, and in addition to having his great cantata produced at the May festival in Buffalo has composed a series of symphonic poems which are exquisite. Exalted Friends.

The great violin numbers among his friends some of the finest figures in European life. He is a great personal favorite of Carmen Sylva, the talented Queen of Rumania, and has been a close friend of both Ibsen and Grieg, of whom he can tell many interesting reminiscences. In England, too, he has delighted audiences in London with the wonderful velvetness of his tone, and at the Coronation concert played a joint number with the peerless Patti herself.

As a Hungarian born, the famous musician has been greatly interested and concerned in the progress of the Balkan war, but absolutely refuses to believe that the Balkan gains have been so prodigious as the news agencies would have us believe.

"We all hate the Turks," he said. "They are like Ishmael, the outcast, in Europe. Every man's hand is against them, and their hand is against every man's."

"But if you had travelled up and down the frontiers as I have done, among the villages bordering Constantinople and the superb defences of all the surrounding country, you would find it hard to believe that Turkey is being easily conquered. She is too big a power, too brave a people to give in without a struggle and a very great struggle. She would defy the whole of Europe if need be with her undying hatred of all things Christian.

"War, I abhor."

"Is it not terrible to think that even with the wonderful advance of modern civilization, the savagery and butchery of war is still allowed to go on. I abhor it. The very idea of it sickens me, and the heady music of the drum and the broken old mothers and the whole dark butchery without a soul. We are as barbaric in this respect as the primeval man, and the softening, broadening process of centuries has failed to give us that true outlook on human relations that would preclude all idea of man fighting and slaying his fellow man with noisome engines of war."

"War, I abhor it."

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IVE long years of suffering from Kidney Trouble—two boxes of GIN PILLS—and it's all gone. That has been the experience of Mr. Eugene Guenel, Chief City Circulation Agent of La Patrie, of Montreal. He describes it feelingly:

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FOR FREIGHT TRAFFIC

Premier Reports That Plans  
Are Now Being Prepared—  
As to Canadian Northern

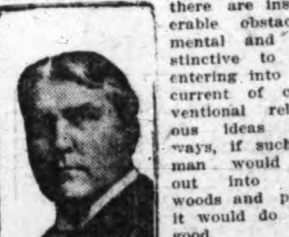
Sir Richard McBride reports that as the result of his conferences in the East with Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, Sir William Mackenzie and Sir Donald Mann arrangements have been made for the establishment of a joint passenger station on the Songhees reserve, which is to be proceeded with at once. But there will be no joint terminal for freight traffic. Each company is planning for the passenger depot are now in course of preparation.

Sir Richard has no detailed information to announce as to the entrance of the Canadian Northern into the city. He says that T. G. Holt, the executive agent of the company, has received instructions from Toronto to hurry the plans as much as possible, and the Premier will meet Mr. Holt on Tuesday and discuss the matter. Sir Richard reports also that J. W. Stewart, president of the Pacific Great Eastern and J. J. Warren, president of the Kettle River Valley Company, assured him while in the East that these two enterprises would be completed without delay.

## IDEAS OF A PLAIN MAN

BY DR. FRANK CRANE

If a man who has lost touch entirely with churches, who has formed his life with interests that entirely exclude the religious feeling, who feels that there are insuperable obstacles, mental and instinctive to his entering into the current of conventional religious ideas and ways, if such a man would go out into the woods and pray, it would do him good.



If he could brush aside all he has ever heard or been taught about God, and if he could approach the God-idea anew, naively, merely striving to lift his spirit into communion with the Infinite Spirit, he would get something that would definitely enrich his life.

Most of our aversion to the God-idea arises from the mass of traditional ideas that has been connected with it. I doubt if the accumulated religious experience, the study and practice of spirituality in the past is of much real value. What value it has lies in what it has contributed to our sub-conscious growth.

Just as modern science has to discard practically all the alleged facts of science previous to a hundred years ago or so and approach the laws of the universe originally, so modern devotion needs, while it is a growth from the past, to put away nearly all the past, and begin over.

## BLUEJACKETS PARADE.

New Orleans, La., Nov. 30.—Thirty-five hundred visiting bluejackets and marines paraded the streets of New Orleans to-day, while thousands of persons from neighboring parishes and states looked on. The marines were from the battleships Minnesota, Kansas, Michigan, and South Carolina, anchored in the Mississippi.

"Geese are supposed to be symbolic of all that is foolish."

"Well, go on."

"But you never see an old hander board a million kernels of corn and then go around trying to mate with a gosling."

—Town Topics.

## TRAVELLING SEC'Y RETURNING TO CITY

Will in All Probability Bring  
News of New General  
Secretary Here

C. Sayre, travelling secretary and western organizer for the Y. M. C. A., who has been attending the great meeting of the Dominion convention in Toronto, is now on his way back to Victoria. It will be remembered that Mr. Sayre took charge of the local building temporarily after the resignation of E. M. Thomasson, the last general secretary, had come into effect. It is believed that Mr. Sayre will bring back with him a new general secretary, or at least some information as to who the new head of the local association will be, as it is understood that Mr. Sayre has been working on the proposition for some time. At the meeting of the Dominion

Council, which has just been concluded, an important decision was arrived at with regard to the supervision and financial responsibility of the Y. M. C. A. in this country, which it has been decided shall be entirely separated from the body on the other side of the line, and will be controlled entirely by the Canadian National Council. By this arrangement the National Council assumes responsibility for every-

thing connected with the association in the Dominion, though the international committee, which up till the present had been the ruling body all over the continent, will continue to co-operate with the Canadian body in an advisory way and on invitation.

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## Range Talks by the Housekeeper

No. 2 Subject "The Oven"

"ONCE convinced that the appearance of a range appeals to our sense of good taste, we want to know all there is to know about the Oven—because the Oven is the important range essential. If it is not a perfect cooker and baker, outward beauty counts for very little.

"The more you look into the 'Kootenay' Oven the more anxious will you be to own a 'Kootenay.' The oven of this beautiful range is made of nickelled sheet steel—one-eighth of an inch thick. I don't know how to explain this nickelled steel but the main thing STEEL RANGE to remember is that a 'Kootenay' Oven cannot rust—more than that you can wash it out just like an ordinary kitchen dish, and always have a fresh, clean Oven.

"The reasons for the 'Kootenay's' splendid cooking and baking reputation are very plain—The heat flues are broad and deep—surround the entire Oven so that it bakes and cooks evenly. The ventilation is thorough—a roast retains all its rare and generous juices when cooked in it.

"The construction of the Oven of my range was carefully explained to me—shown me—before I bought it. The inner body of the 'Kootenay' is protected with asbestos—the Oven walls cannot burn through over the Oven-top a cast iron frame or guard holds a sheet of asbestos in place, while the bottom is braced with iron bars.

"The thermometer is a great convenience. Plain figures show the exact degree of heat necessary for baking pies, cakes, bread, etc., or roasting meat. No need to open the door—that only cools off the Oven. The thermometer costs a little more, but I wouldn't be without it. Of course there are other splendid features about the 'Kootenay.' All in all, it's the best range I've ever seen."

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## BLANCHARD STREET RAILWAY DEPOT

### COMPLAINT ABOUT YARDAGE OPERATIONS

Houses Are Built on Public  
Property on Green Street—  
Bad Corner at Rockland

Dissatisfied with the action of the streets committee last week in adopting a report from the city solicitor with regard to the use by the Victoria Terminal Company for freight unloading of Blanchard street south of Flagstaff street, William Jackson, again wrote to the committee yesterday on the subject. The letter stated that when the permission was granted, the city was advised they could not grant the street to any company for a railway yard. This difficulty was got over by deeding the portion of Blanchard street over to the Victoria Terminal railway through the crown, and by them returning it to the company as a crown grant.

The writer went on to say it is a strange thing that the city should force a British company to cease unloading freight on Store street, and permit an American company to use Blanchard street for similar purposes. He asks the city solicitor to state whether the city has the power to stop the B. C. Electric Company from unloading freight on Douglas street, say in front of the city hall, or prevent the C. P. R. from doing likewise on Store street. If so, why does not the city prevent the Victoria Terminal Railway and Ferry Company from doing likewise on Blanchard street.

In referring to the communication Alderman Stewart, chairman of the committee, stated that the writer should have confined his attention to one company only, and not introduce other matters. The solicitor, who already has the matter under advisement, will further consider the subject.

#### Dangerous Corner.

The land purchasing agent will consult with Dr. R. L. Fraser with regard to the purchase of land to widen Rockland avenue at St. Charles street, by rounding off the northwest corner, which at present is dangerous.

#### Green Street.

Last week the committee was approached with a view to widening Green street, having in view its paving next year, but as the street was dedicated in parts 30 and others 60 feet, and there are encroachments, even to the extent of houses being on the street line, instructions will be given to remove the obstructions before the city proceeds with any further work.

#### Sells Derrick.

It was decided to sell F. M. York, 1008 Government street, the derrick and hoisting engine, which are located at Smith's Hill reservoir for \$800, the city having no further use for it.

#### No Funds.

No action will be taken about the paving of View street in the 1100 block, requested by H. A. S. Morley, or of Leonard street, Fairfield estate. Both works are held up by the lack of funds, and the lateness of the season.

#### Payment of Bills.

The committee decided to pay a bill of \$781 for material supplied by the Canadian Mineral Rubber Company to the city, being gravel and sand, from various piles on the streets last winter and spring. The city is owed \$90 by the company, and this bill will be paid by their representatives. There was also a bill amounting to \$44 for extra work in cutting and relaying pavement at the corner of Montreal street and Kingston street, which was necessitated owing to the urgency of paving Kingston street, before the wet weather sets in, and so as to provide access to the outer wharf. When Montreal street was paved the grade of Kingston street had to be altered, rendering an additional expense of this amount. The sum will be paid accordingly, and charged to that street in the local improvement assessment.

#### Transfer of Horses.

It was decided to purchase harness and carts for the horses acquired from the fire department, the carts to cost \$50 each.

#### Light Poles.

The B. C. Electric railway were given powers to erect light poles on Denman street, from St. Charles street to Richmond road, and St. Charles street from Denman street to Edmonton road.

#### Oliphant Avenue.

The committee decided to have the stones on Oliphant avenue rolled in, as the present condition of the street is a subject of complaint.

#### Returns to Charge.

The difficulty of ascertaining the share of responsibility for municipalities where their boundary is divided by the centre of a street was again referred to in an application for water by Mr. Maclean. He lives on the city side of the street, and the Saanich municipality refuses to contribute to the cost of the main, which would equally serve their district, contending that water mains can only be laid out of local improvement funds. The engineer will endeavor to reach a settlement with the Saanich officials as soon as possible.

#### Two "Olympia" Avenues.

Fred G. Fowkes wrote on behalf of residents on Olympia avenue, Dallas road, protesting against another Olympia avenue at Oak Bay, as likely to lead to misunderstanding. The James Bay street having existed for twenty years. The matter will be taken up with the Oak Bay municipality, if the city finds it has any power to deal with the subject in the area of another municipality.

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buildings in A and B fire limits, an amendment will be introduced into the building by-law adopted earlier in the year, setting the law clear on this subject. A draft was submitted by the city solicitor.

#### Insanitary Lane.

E. G. Prior & Company again took up the condition of the lane at the back of the Westholme hotel, which abuts on their property, and stated that even if the alley was private property the nuisance which existed there should be remedied by the city health officers, who had power to abate nuisances both on private and public property.

#### Maple Street.

The city engineer will deal with an application from Hallwards, Ltd., for access to Maple street, where their factory is situated, so that heavy traffic may reach it during the winter.

#### Dundas Street.

An order in council will be sought to close up the by-law for the improvement of Dundas street, by eliminating boulevards, so that the paving when done may embrace the whole street.

Major-General Leonard Wood predicts war as a result of United States policies. Other nations, he says, will resent being cramped by the Monroe Doctrine. He adds: "The United States is wholly unprepared to meet any sudden military attack."

The police ball on December 4 will be a huge success. There can no longer be any doubt about that. This morning it was stated that even though not another ticket should be sold, the attendance would be so large that the event would stand as a notable incident in the history of the annual institution. Of course, more tickets will be sold but that will only make assurance doubly sure. The officers are not going forth any longer offering the tickets for sale. That has ceased as the knowledge of the coming event was held to be sufficiently widespread. Those wishing tickets who have not already obtained them must go to the officers to buy them.

The preparations at the exhibition

building are practically complete. The big pavilion has been decorated and is merely waiting for the throngs. The interior present a very attractive appearance. The dining room has been treated to a special scheme of decoration. From a central point, bands of gaily-colored bunting radiate to the outside edges of the enclosure, making a very charming effect.

The committees state that their attention will be chiefly focussed on two features of the ball. They will make it their endeavor to have music of the very best kind. To ensure this an orchestra of twenty-two pieces, including two pianos, will be in attendance. Then also, the supper will claim a great share of the hosts' attention. As in past years, it is expected that the refreshments will be one of the principal events of the gala evening.

The members of the force are highly pleased with the success which is now assured for their annual assembly.

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#### Section 19.

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China—Review of  
Garrisons

General Sir Ian Hamilton, Inspector-General of the overseas forces, left London last month upon a lengthy tour of inspection of his Majesty's troops, garrisons, and defences in the Far East.

This year Sir Ian Hamilton's duties will take him far afield. He will proceed eastward over the Trans-Siberian railway and begin his work by an inspection of the Legation Guard and other garrisons and volunteer bodies in China, where the situation is not so steady as that we can afford to neglect reasonable precautions. He will then visit Hongkong, which has a garrison long recognized by soldiers to be insufficient, and will next inspect Singapore and attend to various military matters in the Straits Settlements, passing on to Ceylon and visiting Colombo. Sir Ian's programme for Egypt, the Sudan, and Cyprus is not yet fixed, but he will probably be back at Malta at the end of January and return to England in May. Each one of these stepping stones of Empire has its own problems of a defensive order, and as the naval aspect of affairs takes precedence in importance, it is to be supposed and desired that Mr. Churchill will give the Inspector-General every facility for acquainting himself with the naval point of view.

The Position in East Africa. With the West Indies and questions arising from the pending opening of the Panama canal, Sir Ian Hamilton has concerned himself in a previous voyage. South Africa and Rhodesia have also been visited, and on the whole there will be very few garrisons in distant seas with which Sir Ian will not be tolerably well acquainted after his return from his present voyage. One notable exception must, however, be made. Northeast Africa is not at present included in the tour, and there is no part of the Empire where a clear and steady military view of the ideal situation is more urgently needed. In all Northeast Africa—namely, Somaliland, Nyasaland, Uganda, and British East Africa—the military situation has become difficult, and the same thing may be said of the Southern Sudan. There is no part of the Empire wherein military affairs need greater foresight and caution, and there is also no part where things are being more placidly allowed to drift. No central authority is responsible for the handling of military questions in this extensive district, and this situation is not one which should be permitted to continue.

The new system under which a general review of the garrisons of the Empire takes place from time to time supplies the necessary data for a revision of our defensive arrangements, should such be necessary. Things change very rapidly in the modern world, and the soldier who sleeps for 24 hours becomes a Rip van Winkle when he awakes. No new distribution of force can, of course, take place except by mutual agreement between the naval and military authorities, but some changes are impending, and it is comforting that thanks to the journeys of Sir John French and Sir Ian Hamilton, we shall be well informed of the facts. Many of our garrisons are notably and manifestly insufficient, but it is not sound policy to scatter troops wholesale in defensive positions and to deprive ourselves of our offensive arms. The golden mean between the two extremes may be hard to find, but at least we can say that such missions as that upon which Sir Ian Hamilton has set out will afford us the necessary materials for forming a reasoned opinion upon a subject of great moment.

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While unobjectionable anonymous communications will be published, the name and address of every writer of such letters must be given to the editor.

### ELECTRIC WIRING.

To the Editor:—I cannot let the letter signed "Kilowatt" and appearing in a recent issue of the Times, pass without commenting upon one or two of his remarks. Your correspondent is or has been, I presume, connected with the electrical field, and therefore ought to know that to make a success in this business one has to be a mechanic and a good one at that. Is it possible for a man who is not a mechanic to install such work as the outfitting of the Central building, the conduit systems of our large blocks, not to mention the minor ornamental work to be seen on every hand. I would like to see the same work after it had been done by a man lacking in the mechanical skill that "Kilowatt" deprecates. He also asserts that an examination is hardly necessary in appointing an inspector, and suggests that Mr. Daly ought to be given a year of grace in which to qualify. I contend that a competitive examination is necessary in making the selection of a person to hold such a responsible position, and as to the idea of a year of grace, I think that considering the length of time the present inspector has held the position he ought to be able to qualify without any probationary period. I feel that should a good set of rules and regulations, embodying the "underwriters' code," and such others as may apply to local conditions, be drawn up and enforced without favor, we will soon emerge from the state that "Kilowatt" describes as "chaos," a state arising from the rapid progress of the electrical trade in recent years, a condition of things that is daily raising difficulties for inspector, contractor and journeyman alike.

When this matter has been provided for by adequate legislation, and not before, will we have an up-to-date system, similar to those of Vancouver, Seattle and other cities on the coast.

J. E.  
Tates street, City.

### WHY?

To the Editor: I hope you will not consider me too inquisitive, but being of an inquiring turn of mind I am anxious to know:

Why the names of our Victoria horses appear on the "off" instead of the "near" side, as the usual style of mounting is to take a portion of the mane in the left hand along with the reins. Hence the custom?

Why is there not an anti-combination coal establishment in Victoria? It might help us a bit in the shivering season, especially those who "haven't" the price convenient, and prices going up all around.

Why did a certain congregation show unusual signs of levity on Sunday evening (24th) when the clergyman uttered in clear and distinct tones to the miracle of the "five loaves and the two barley fishes"?

Why are there some who still persistently claim that gold and other indoor pastimes are not the greatest modern enchantment of female grace and beauty? I enclose photos which appeared in the London "Queen" of October 12, pages 670 and 674.

Why is there not one day in the week to be designated "pedestrian protection day" set apart for the benefit of the public who wish to go shopping, etc., without risk of being killed or mangled by motors, and

Why not upon those days make it compulsory that motorists within the city limits should not exceed a rate of five miles an hour?

Why should not the thousands of non-motorists have at least one day in the week they could look forward to with pleasure, and feel they were absolutely safe from motorists who have no more important object in view than to show off, by cutting figures and skimming corners in crowded streets?

Why, upon the principal of constant dropping of water wearing away a rock, does the Victoria Times still survive, showing no signs of wear and tear, under the constant sniping of the Conservative organ on page IV?

Why? Because the "drop" is not dignified with any further notice than the usual kindly smile and h'm from the Times.

OBSERVER.

### WHAT HAS CANADA DONE?

To the Editor:—Few people will quarrel with the main contention of Mr. Clive Phillips-Wolley in his article in last Sunday's issue of your contemporary, the Victoria Colonist, that Canada owes something to England, but many will not concede that the magnitude of her debt is as great as Mr. Wolley strives to make out. When the question, What has England done for Canada? has been satisfactorily answered, it might be interesting to answer in detail, after the manner of Mr. Wolley, another question, the antithesis of the first, What has Canada done for England? Year after year, since Canada's inception as a nation, her sons have left their homes in the eastern states to open up new tracts of land in the West. Year after year her sons have borne the burden of loneliness on the wild western prairies, that new land might be tilled and a harvest reaped, in order that the rapacious maw of Mother England might be satisfied, and cereal crops be plentiful for the markets of London and Liverpool. For many years, in the execution of her fiscal policy, she has discriminated between England and other European nations in a tariff which gives a preference to goods of British manufacture, and this without asking or receiving any equivalent quid pro quo. Britain in her wars, which happily have been few of late, she has extended

her sympathy in tangible form, and for instance, in the late South African war, she sent several volunteer corps to serve in the field against the Boers. To-day Canada provides an almost inexhaustible field for Britain's surplus energy. To-day her prairies are thrown open to settlers from the Old Country, and her government assists these newcomers to found new homes for themselves, where their labor will be amply requited. Many other instances might be given where England is indebted to Canada, but those advanced may serve for the present, for after all it is not generally the case that the policy of a nation, or rather the executive government of a nation, is for the most part dictated by financial considerations. In England, as in America, a necessary franchise may be given democratically to a franchisee may be formed not of the best men of a country, but of the richest. In England the executive government has been drawn from a wealthy land-owning aristocracy, or has been plutocratic. That the outcome of the colonial policy of her successive governments has not been disastrous is attributable more to good luck than to good guidance. However, it is not natural that England should protect her colonies and safeguard their merchandise on the high seas. Their existence is a source of wealth to England, and then, what superior will not protect this vessel from the incursions of strangers when the interests of the vessel coincide with his own interests?

England's colonial investments are of themselves worth protecting. But to the question: Is it not expedient that Canada should contribute towards imperial defence? The answer comes readily, yes; but on one condition, that it be borne in mind, however, that as soon as Canada makes a contribution towards Imperial defence, she simultaneously claims to say in the direction of Imperial policy, and with the acceptance of a contribution Britain tacitly recognizes that claim. To show how this claim could be met might enlarge this letter to undue limits and call forth censure from editorial quarters.

CUIQUE.

### SHEEP RAISING IN CANADA.

A short time ago the secretary of agriculture in the United States urged upon the people of that country the necessity of eating more mutton and less beef. He pointed out that mutton was much cheaper than beef, and as it was equally nutritious people would effect a big saving by eating mutton. Unfortunately for us in Canada we have but few sheep, and as the number is steadily decreasing we will soon be forced to import mutton. The position that Canada occupies in comparison with the chief sheep-raising countries is concisely indicated by this statement:

	Area sq. miles.	Number of sheep.
Australia .....	2,945,000	106,615,000
Argentina .....	1,185,000	67,211,000
United States .....	3,567,000	51,216,000
United Kingdom .....	110,000	31,852,000
New Zealand .....	104,000	25,486,000
Uruguay .....	72,000	26,137,000
Chile .....	284,000	4,224,000
Mexico .....	767,000	3,424,000
Canada .....	3,729,000	2,598,000

About half the sheep in Canada are in Ontario, but even in this progressive agricultural province the flocks are dwindling, while Australian and New Zealand frozen mutton is used on our tables. In Eastern Ontario there are whole townships with scarcely an inhabitant that are specially adapted to stock-raising because of their luxuriant crops of marsh hay. Why are they left idle year after year seems rather puzzling. In fact, the Dominion abounds with opportunities for the raising of large flocks on spare pasture, and on land unsuitable for flax, crop cultivation. The home market for mutton is excellent, and for the right qualities the British market offers a steady demand, even though sheep-raising in Britain is on a scale so much larger than in Canada. There would be ample justification for the setting aside of a large appropriation for the advancement of the sheep industry in the various provinces.

The federal parliament could well afford to act more generously towards agriculture than it has acted in the past. Since confederation there has been but a paltry \$14,000,000 expended on agriculture. This compares with \$17,000,000 for railway subsidies, \$33,000,000 for military purposes, and \$17,000,000 for iron and steel bounties. And yet over half the people of Canada depend on agriculture for their living.—The Shareholder.

The October statement of the British Mount Tolmie—21-1/2 acres, corner of Board of Trade shows increase of \$31,668.50 in imports and \$23,388.00 in exports. Manufactured goods, and coal made the largest gain in the exports.

## SHE WAS SURPRISED

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Mrs. R. Smith, of Winnipeg, Man., tells an interesting story of relief from almost intolerable sufferings:

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### THE MARCH OF THE BLACK MOUNTAIN.

What will there be to remember  
Of us in the day to be?  
Whose faith was a trodden ember  
And even our doubt not free,  
Parliaments built of paper  
And the soft swords of gold  
That twist like a waxen tape  
In the weak aggressor's hold  
A hush around hunger slaying,  
City of serfs unfed,  
What shall we leave for a saying  
To praise us when we are dead?

But men shall remember the Mountain,  
That broke its forest chains,  
And men shall remember the Mountain  
When it marches against the plains,  
And christen their children from it  
And season and ship and street.  
When the Mountain came to Mahomet  
And looked small before his feet,  
His head was high as the crescent  
Of the moon that seemed his crown,  
And on glory of past and present  
The light of his eyes looked down.

One hand went out to the morning  
Over Brahmin and Buddhist slain,  
To point at the scars of Spain,  
To point at the scars of Spain,  
And one to the west in scorn  
One foot on the hills for warder,  
By the little Mountain trod,  
And one was in a garden  
And stood on the grave of God.  
But men shall remember the Mountain  
Though it fall down like a tree:  
They shall see the sign of the Mountain,  
Faith cast into the sea.

Though the crooked swords overcome it  
And the Crooked Moon ride free,  
When the Mountain comes to Mahomet  
It has more life than he.  
But what will there be to remember  
Or what will there be to see—  
Though our towns through a long November  
Abide to the end and be?

Strength of slave and mechanic  
Whose iron is ruled by gold—  
Peace of immortal panic—  
Love that is hate grown cold.

Are these a bribe or a warning  
That we turn not to the sun,  
Nor look on the lands of morning  
Where deeds at last are done?  
Where men shall remember the Mountain  
When truth forgets the plain,  
And walk in the ways of the Mountain  
That did not fall in vain;  
Death and eclipse and comet  
Thunder and peals that rend  
When the Mountain came to Mahomet  
Because it was the end.

—G. K. Chesterton.

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So, now that we have lately been calling your attention to the splendid manner in which COQUITLAM is making good, you will doubtless pardon us if we briefly emphasize the fact that the COQUITLAM TERMINAL COMPANY is making good, too, in a straightforward, faithful, solid and substantial manner.

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We are now building an industrial railway that will cost about thirty thousand dollars.

We have put ten thousand dollars into a hydrographic survey of the Pitt and Fraser Rivers in order to establish data for a harbor survey and supply the government with much needed information concerning those rivers.

We have been the means of organizing or locating at Coquitlam several manufacturing concerns, the farthest advanced of the larger of which is the Coquitlam Shipbuilding & Marine Railway Company, which is spending thousands of dollars weekly on the great plant at Coquitlam, preparatory to building of ships.

We have embarked upon a very costly campaign for the industrial promotion of Coquitlam and have not asked a single corporation or individual that has interests there to contribute a cent.

Without being accused of unduly "blowing our horn," may we not submit that the foregoing proves that the Coquitlam Terminal Company, as well as Coquitlam, is making good?

We cannot give you all the details of the great forward movement at Coquitlam during the last year in the limited space at our command here, but if you get our beautiful new booklet, now in preparation, "Coquitlam, the Industrial City," as well as our other literature regarding the achievements in the past year, you will probably agree with us that it is easy to understand the high respect in which Coquitlam is now held by the more-conservative investing public.

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## NEWS FROM PROVINCIAL TOWNS

### FERNIE HAS HALL

#### BUT NO MILITIA

Suggest That If Department Gets Busy New Building May Have Occupants

Fernie, B. C., Nov. 28.—Plans for the Armoury building are at the city hall. Tenders are asked for a building of brick, with a galvanized iron roof, 131 feet 6 inches by 56 feet to be built on the Dominion government block. It is known as a standard drill hall, type C. In the present situation Fernie is just now more interested in the plans of the militia department for this place than in the plans of the Armoury. There is no corps here. When we had two companies of "Rifles" it was seemingly impossible to get an armoury. Now that the companies have been disbanded we see preparations for the building of a drill hall. It passes human understanding.

There are, no doubt, a large number of young men in this community who would welcome an opportunity to secure the exercise and training that membership in a military corps provides, and there are men here who are qualified to take charge, but the previous experiences have been so discouraging, in a climate such as we have, that no one cares to take the initiative again. Possibly if the militia department actually gets busy on a drill hall a corps will be ready to occupy it when it is completed.

#### NELSON POLICE CHIEF.

Nelson, Nov. 30.—Refusing to resign at the end of this month as requested by the police commissioners at their last meeting, C. W. Young, chief of police, was yesterday afternoon dismissed by the board and the position declared vacant on December 1. Applications must be in by 5 o'clock next Saturday afternoon, when a new chief will be named.

#### NEW POLICE CHIEF.

Coquitlam, Nov. 30.—Ernest Albert Round is the new police chief of Coquitlam Municipality. Mr. Round was born in Lichfield, Staffordshire, England, in 1879. He saw active service with the 17th Lancers in South Africa and has had long experience in police work in England, South Africa and Canada.

He had strong testimonials from Tillsonburg, where he was on the police force for five years, half of which time he was chief officer. At present he holds the position of warden in the provincial penitentiary.

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### WILLIAM TZOUHALEM

#### GOES TO LONG REST

Brave Indian Who Was Honored by Government Gives Medal to Grandson

Duncan, Nov. 30.—The death of William Tzouhalem at the age of 46, occurred at his home on the Indian reserve on Thursday morning, the 21st inst. Death was due to blood poisoning. The deceased was only taken ill on the Wednesday, and died within a few hours.

It will be remembered that the late William Tzouhalem was one of the three brave men to whom the gold medals were recently presented by Mr. F. H. Shepherd, M. P., on behalf of the Dominion government for bravery in saving life at the S.S. Iroquois disaster in April, 1911.

Just before his death William Tzouhalem gave the medal to his grandson—a little boy aged three—to be handed down in his family in accordance with the suggestion made at the time of the presentation.

The Rev. Father Francis was present with the deceased at the time of his death, and also conducted the funeral on the Saturday, at which there was a very large attendance of Indians from all over the island.

#### EARLY CLOSING.

Port Alberni, Nov. 30.—The early closing movement among the retail merchants of the city appears to have received a temporary set-back, owing to the refusal of one store-keeper to fall into line. It was proposed, if possible, to have an early closing by-law passed by the city council the same as is in operation in the city of Winnipeg and other places, but the city solicitors have advised that there is no authority for it.

#### NEW ORANGE HALL.

New Westminster, Nov. 30.—For the purpose of building an Orange temple in this city, local Orangemen formally have organized the New Westminster Orange Hall Company, Ltd. George R. Mathias, W. F. Fales, A. Hardman, J. J. Hood and Joseph Smith have been elected as directors to arrange the plans for the construction of the building. A suitable site has been purchased on Sixth street.

#### CHAIRMAN APPOINTED.

Fernie, B. C., Nov. 30.—In the matter of the disputes pending at Frank and Hosmer between the miners and operators, Commissioner MacNeill, of the Coal Operators' Association, and President Stubbs, of the district miners' union, have agreed upon J. H. Hannah, of Calgary to act as chairman. In the yardage dispute between the men and Crow's Nest Pass Coal Company, at Fernie and Michel, no chairman could be agreed upon, and the minister of labor at Ottawa has been asked to appoint one.

#### OLDEST PIONEER.

Coquitlam, Nov. 30.—E. A. Atkins, the oldest pioneer in Coquitlam district, attained his 74th birthday on Saturday last, and his many friends are wishing him a long life and happiness on the occasion.

#### WARD SYSTEM AT PT. ALBERNI.

The wards establishments by-law, introduced by Alderman Swayne, was considered in committee of the whole council at the last meeting, and reported complete without amendment. It was given third reading and will be reconsidered and finally passed at the meeting on Tuesday evening.

#### NANAIMO ENTERPRISE.

Nanaimo, Nov. 30.—Joseph Fox is to start work immediately on the erection of a five-story brick addition to the Windsor Hotel, Nanaimo. Tenders for the work are called for and as soon as a satisfactory contract is let work will start and will be rushed to completion. The work will cost over \$50,000.

Sir Archibald Geikie tells a story of a Scotchman who, much against his own will, was persuaded to take a holiday. He went to Egypt and visited the Pyramids. After gazing for some time at the great Pyramid he muttered: "Man, what a lot of mason work not to be bringin' in any rent!"

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The material is all good and includes extra heavy corrugated iron and some California cedarwood framing. The seats, furnishings, lighting fixtures and lead lighted windows are not included in the articles for sale, as they will be utilized in the new church for the present.

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## BIRTHDAY CALENDAR



### IF THIS IS YOUR BIRTHDAY

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Those born to-day will be active and impulsive, and many accidents will be the result. From these they will learn caution, and later in life will be successful. A natural carelessness in everything will be their greatest fault.

## Birthday Congratulations TO

Baker, Lieut.-Col. James Wheelock, M. P. P. (Baker, N. B.); born, Baker Brook, 1854; former commander of 67th Carleton Light Infantry; served in Northwest rebellion of 1885; Conservative M. P. P. for Madawaska since 1908.

Birks, Henry (Montreal); born, Montreal, 1840; manufacturing jeweler with Dominion-wide jurisdiction.

Cross, Hon. Charles Wilson, B. A., LL. B., K. C. (Edmonton); born, Maydoc, Ont., 1872; first attorney general of Alberta.

Higgins, Hon. David Williams (Victoria); born, Halifax, 1834; founder of the San Francisco Call and of the Victoria Chronicle, afterwards amalgamated with the Colonist, of which he was editor for many years; Conservative M. P. P. for Esquimalt, 1886-1888; Speaker of the Legislature, 1890-1898.

Hunter, George Ernest (Field, B. C.); born, Westchester, N. S., 1882; superintendent of Yoho national park.

Leblanc, Hon. Isidore, M. L. C. (Arlington, N. B.); born, Arichat, 1837; Liberal M. P. P. for Richmond, 1878-1885; Legislative councillor since then.

MacDonald, Aeneas A., M. P. P. (Charlottetown, P. E. I.); born, Georgetown, 1864; Conservative M. P. P. for King's.

McCrae, John, M. B. (Montreal); born, Guelph, 1872; served in South Africa and accompanied Earl Grey on his trip to Hudson bay.

McCready, Ernest Wilnot, M. A. (St. John, N. B.); born, Ottawa, 1868; editor of St. John Telegraph; was war correspondent in Cuba, 1898.

Mercer, William Otterburn (Ottawa); born, Ottawa, 1856; assistant postmaster of Ottawa.

Roche, Hon. William James, M. D., M. P. P. (Ottawa); born, Clarendon, Ont., 1859; Conservative M. P. P. for Marquette since 1896; secretary of state for Canada, 1911-1912; now Minister of the Interior.

Twissie, Hon. Lemuel John, K. C., LL. D. (Chatham, N. B.); born, Chatham, 1849; Liberal M. P. P., 1874-1878 and 1884-1907; Surveyor General, 1890; Provincial Secretary, 1896; Premier of New Brunswick, 1900; Lieutenant Governor of New Brunswick since 1907.

Wakeham, William, M. D. (Gaspé, Que.); born, Gaspé, 1845; Inspector of fisheries in the Gulf of St. Lawrence since 1878.

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Notice is hereby given that the partnership hitherto subsisting between William Robert Fairclough and Albert Beecher, carrying on business in the City of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, as truck and expressmen, under the style of the "Canadian Transfer," has this day by mutual consent been dissolved.

The said business will be carried on by the said William Robert Fairclough, under the said name and style of the "Canadian Transfer," to whom all moneys due the late partnership are to be paid and who will liquidate all debts existing against the said partnership business.

Witness our hands at the City of Victoria, this 26th day of October, 1912. Signed in the presence of J. C. McIntosh, A. BEECHER, W. R. FAIRCLOUGH.

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NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners, after the expiration of 30 days from the date hereof, for a transfer of the license held by us, Mary Jane Brown and George Andrews, both of the City of Victoria, for the sale of spirituous and fermented liquors, on the premises known as the Tourist Hotel, situated at 623 Johnson Street, in the City of Victoria, to Edward A. Muldoon, of the City of Victoria aforesaid. Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 9th day of November, 1912. MARY JANE BROWN, GEORGE ANDREWS.

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Victoria West, close to Russell and Skinner street; 2 lots; cash \$300, balance easy. Price each ..... \$1200

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Tolmie Avenue, large lot, 50x145; cash \$200. Price ..... \$650

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## CONTINUITY IN COUNCIL PERSONNEL IS URGED

Chairman of Legislative Committee Refers to Failure of Present System

The election of aldermen triennially, and the mayor from the body of aldermen is in the opinion of Aldermen Anderson the only solution to the present unrest in municipal politics.

Although the alderman is retiring from the council in January he says the present system of electing aldermen annually keeps them in constant dependence on the electors, and makes them more inclined to act in order to catch votes than to consider measures on their general principle. He points out that it takes an alderman six months to learn his work, and the other six are taken up with preparing a case for the next election. If one-third of the council retired annually the citizens would be safeguarded as to the right of removal, while the council would possess a continuity of policy which it lacks at present.

He points out that the trouble of recent years between the mayor and aldermen is largely due to the desire to prevent the other man from getting the

credit for new schemes, and that if the council elected the mayor from among themselves, they would secure a man in whom they had confidence, and the bickerings and waste of time which marks Western councils would come to an end.

In connection with this suggestion the city of Edmonton, where as in Victoria there are ten aldermen, has under consideration the election of the mayor from the council members. Alderman Douglas gave notice of motion at the last meeting that he would introduce an amendment to the city charter with respect to the method of electing the mayor. His suggestion is that instead of electing a mayor and ten aldermen from the city at large, eleven or more aldermen should be elected, and that the aldermen from that number should elect the mayor.

Alderman Douglas' reasons for the motion are as follows: That it would elevate and dignify the position of alderman; that the main attention of the electorate would not be centred as at present on the mayoralty candidates and that a mayor elected by such a board would be sure to receive the aldermanic support and thus guarantee harmony on the whole council board and further would not be subject to election promises.

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## ACADEMY PUPILS ENTERTAIN FRIENDS

Historical Drama Given by Pupils of St. Ann's Academy — Sale of Work Afterwards

The entertainment and sale of work held last evening at St. Ann's academy proved a very successful and delightful event, a very large audience composed of the parents and friends of the pupils filling the hall to capacity.

The principal feature of the entertainment, which took place in the concert auditorium, was the historical drama depicting scenes from the life of Christopher Columbus, which was excellently performed by the pupils, all the minor parts being sustained in a most interesting manner, and the principal performers showing considerable talent in their various impersonations. Miss Flora Burns acted a prelatian, looking very pretty in classical draperies of white and silver. Her lines were spoken in a very sweet and nicely modulated voice, and with a sense of the beauty of her words.

The title part in the drama was taken by Miss Mary Ellen O'Brien, who spoke her part with great dignity and characterization. Juan Perex, the monk who proved such a good friend to Columbus, was interpreted by Miss Dorothy Weymouth, while the role of Diego was very ably taken by Miss Jeanne Pariseau. Ferdinand and Isabella were excellently impersonated by Miss Jean Toimie and Miss Louise Whiteley, respectively, the latter making a very gracious queen. The explorer, Gomez, was cleverly impersonated by Miss Maudie Christy, while Miss Nellie Parsons, as Hernando, was most effective. The tableau was heartily applauded, particularly at the point where the prelatian referred to the Knights of Columbus—an order which was founded in commemoration of the great explorer, who was a Catholic.

The opening number of the programme, "Woodland Scenes," was very prettily sung by a number of the smallest children in the school, this being followed by "The Bow of Promise," in which the children, dressed in white, carried vari-colored silk streamers and symbolised the rainbow, colored lights being thrown on the pretty picture. Three songs were requisitioned for the next number, which was Rossini's "Tancredi," given by seven of the pupils. These were: The Misses M. Starrett, M. Tolle, D. Weymouth, E. and L. Dumbleton, L. Quenel and F. Richter.

Another pretty feature of the evening's entertainment was the Bugle Song Pantomime, this being given to Tennyson's "The Splendid Falls on Castle Walls," which was sung behind the stage. Following the performance of the Columbus drama four little girls sang "Beautiful Sea," these being the Misses N. Lewthwaite, Grace Garvey, M. McGee and Helen Richter.

A pretty duet by Ciro Pinsutt, "Sunrise," was beautifully sung by the Misses M. Tolle and Katherine Eds, and evoked considerable applause, while a number of talented young players gave a very delightful rendering of Liszt's Hungarian Rhapsodie, those performing being the Misses Starrett, Burns, N. Parson, Tolle, Manley, H. Johnson, E. and N. Molish and A. Fitzgerald. This was followed by "Happy Hours," an adaptation of Wagner's Tannhauser, which was very much appreciated, this bringing the concert to a conclusion.

**Sale of Work.**—Adjoining the concert auditorium a very attractive sale of work was waiting for the conclusion of the National Anthem to display itself to the eyes of the visitors. Here every kind of fancy needlework and plain sewing, calendars, and all manner of Christmas bric-a-brac was on view, the room presenting a very pretty appearance, with its festoons of holly. The stalls, which were decorated in individual colors, the crocheted stall being in blue and white, and displaying some exquisite examples of lace made by the Sisters of St. Ann's. On the same table some very pretty crocheted woollen things were shown, while immediately opposite some very tempting things were shown on the twenty-five cents' stall, this being right with Chinese lanterns. A calendar booth, containing a great variety of pretty Christmas calendars, looked very pretty with its decorations of blue and gold. The candy booth was very popular, and the linen stall, with its quantities of dainty and useful articles, attracted a great number of purchasers, everything from babies' bonnets to kitchen aprons being available. A wishing-well was most popular with the younger visitors to the sale, a bucket running up and down with its delivery of packages. As usual there was a most artistic display on the art table, here some really beautiful pieces of work being shown in china painting and pictures which had ready purchasers.

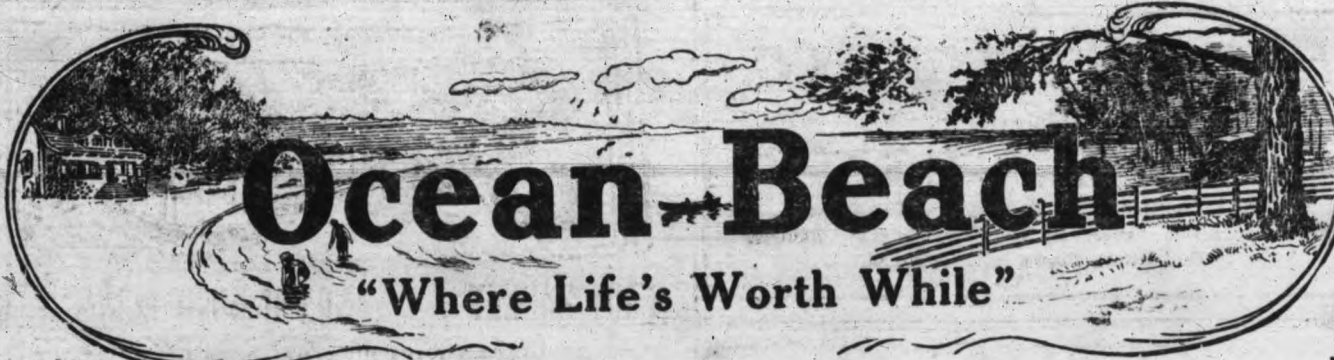
The sale will be continued this afternoon, when refreshments will also be obtainable in the convent dining-rooms, which for the occasion have been charmingly decorated with festoons of blue and gold.

Among the visitors at last night's entertainment were His Lordship Bishop Macdonald, Mrs. Paterson and Mayor and Mrs. Beckwith.

### SACRED CONCERT.

Closing One Will Be Given To-morrow Evening in Victoria Theatre.

The last of the series of sacred concerts to be given in the Victoria theatre will take place to-morrow evening at 8.15 o'clock. An exceptionally attractive programme has been arranged, features of which will be the contributions of Mme. Marie Burnett, who will sing, by special request, "A Dream of Home," and "The Carnival," by Molloy. Benedict Bantley's orchestra will render selections and Rev. Sidney Lindridge will give a farewell address. Mr. Lindridge is about to go to California for a much-needed rest.



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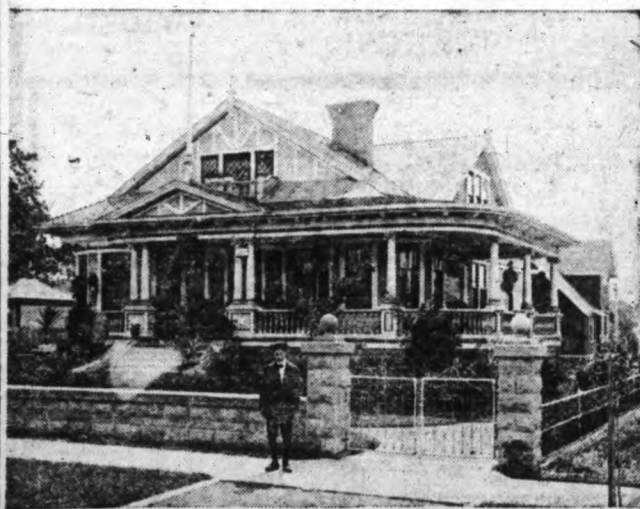
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**STEADY MARKET  
ON WALL STREET**

To-day's Bank Statement  
After Close Caused Some  
Surprise Among Brokers

(By Courtesy of F. W. Stevenson & Co.)  
New York, Nov. 30.—Trading to-day reflected for the most part the backing and filling of the professional element, together with a moderate amount of week-end realizing. Prices on the whole were steady, but the disposition to refrain from making extensive commitments was quite pronounced. It has been generally expected that to-day's bank statement would not make a very favorable showing, but it was anticipated that the surplus reserves would be depleted to the extent denoted in the exhibit published after the close.

With the preparations for the December disbursements in progress, it is not natural to assume that the figures presented to-day are an entirely true index of existing money conditions, but nevertheless it is patent that the strain is not as yet at an end.

Amal. Copper	High Low Bid
Am. Agr. Chemical	84 84 85
Am. Best Sugar	10 10 11
Am. Cap. & Pdy.	40 40 41
Am. Cotton Oil	16 16 17
Am. Locomotive	100 100 101
Am. Smelting	78 78 79
Am. Sugar	12 12 13
Am. Tel. & Tel.	142 142 143
Am. Tobacco	20 20 21
Am. Woolen	10 10 11
Anacosta	10 10 11
Do. pfd.	10 10 11
B. & O.	10 10 11
B. T. Ry.	10 10 11
C. P. R.	10 10 11
Central Leather	10 10 11
Ches. & Ohio	10 10 11
C. & G. W.	10 10 11
Do. pfd.	10 10 11
C. M. & St. P.	10 10 11
Do. pfd.	10 10 11
Colo. Fuel & Iron	10 10 11
Colo. & Southern	10 10 11
Con. Gas	10 10 11
D. & R. G.	10 10 11
Do. pfd.	10 10 11
Do. 1st pfd.	10 10 11
Do. 2nd pfd.	10 10 11
Goldfield Cons.	10 10 11
Gr. Nor. Ore. cfs.	10 10 11
Illinois Cent.	10 10 11
Inter-Metro.	10 10 11
Do. pfd.	10 10 11
Inter. Harvest	10 10 11
Kas. City Southern	10 10 11
L. & N.	10 10 11
Lehigh Valley	10 10 11
Mackay Co.	10 10 11
Do. pfd.	10 10 11
Calif. Petroleum	10 10 11
M. S. P. & S. M.	10 10 11
Do. pfd.	10 10 11
Do. 1st pfd.	10 10 11
Do. 2nd pfd.	10 10 11
Mo. Pacific	10 10 11
Nat. Biscuit	10 10 11
Nat. Lead	10 10 11
Nat. Ry. & Mex. 2nd pfd.	10 10 11
Nev. Cons.	10 10 11
N. Y. Central	10 10 11
N. Y. O. & W.	10 10 11
Norfolk & West.	10 10 11
Nor. Pac.	10 10 11
Pacific Mail	10 10 11
Pennsylvania	10 10 11
Penn. & Erie	10 10 11
Penn. & Ohio	10 10 11
Penn. & Potomac	10 10 11
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**NEW YORK MONEY.**  
New York, Nov. 30.—Money on call nominal. Time loans steady: 60 days, 5 1/2 per cent.; 90 days 6 1/2 per cent.; 6 months 7 1/2 per cent.  
Close Prime mercantile paper 6 per cent. Sterling exchange easy with actual business in bankers' bills at 44.50 for 60 days and at 44.50 for demand. Commercial bills 44.50. Bar silver 63 1/2. Mexican dollars 44 1/2. Bonds—Governments steady; railroads irregular.

Wheat Receipts	To-day	Last Year
Minneapolis	432	364
Duluth	418	401
Winnipeg	64	51
Chicago	64	39
Kansas City	136	100
St. Louis	125,000	28,000
St. Louis estimated in bushels		
Porto Rico Ry.	112	117
R. & O. Nav.	112	117
Do. pfd.	112	117
Russell M. C. com.	90	100
Do. pfd.	90	100
Sawyer Man.	90	100
Do. pfd.	90	100
Shredded Wheat	90	100
Do. pfd.	90	100
Spanish River	90	100
Do. pfd.	90	100
Steel of Can. com.	90	100
Tooke Bros. com.	90	100
Do. pfd.	90	100
Toronto Paper	90	100
Toronto Railway	90	100
Winnipeg Railway	90	100

Commerce	22 1/2
Domestic	22 1/2
Hamilton	22 1/2
Imperial	22 1/2
Merchants	22 1/2
Metropolitan	22 1/2
Molson	22 1/2
Montreal	22 1/2
Nova Scotia	22 1/2
Royal	22 1/2
Standard	22 1/2
Toronto	22 1/2
Union	22 1/2

**NORTH SHORE IRON  
ON VICTORIA 'CHANGE**

Lucky Jim Suffers From Sudden Break — Oil Issues Weak This Morning

Victoria, Nov. 30.—Sales of Great West Permanent and Northshore Iron Works constituted the transactions of the local stock exchange to-day. The feature of the session was the weakness in Lucky Jim, which for no apparent reason was offered down as low as 16 7/8 c. at the close, and bid only 16 c. It will be interesting to watch the immediate trend of this issue, for it is one of the largest zinc producing properties in the world, and any break such as was witnessed this morning likely draw the interest of those who firmly believe in its prospects. The past week has seen some slight firming in International Coal & Coke on dividend rumors; moderate depreciation in Granby, which now appears steady at 74; and broadly speaking healthy sentiment ruling throughout. Oil issues are the really weak line. Amalgamated Development selling at 5-8 c. and Canadian Pacific Oil being offered at 6 1/2 c. on the Vancouver exchange this morning.

Amal. Dev.	Bid. Asked
Can. North-West Oil	62 60
Can. Pac. Oil of B. C.	62 60
Alberta C. & C.	62 60
Crow's Nest Coal	72 70
International C. & C.	37 35
McMillan Coal	62 60
Nicola Valley C. & C.	60 58
Royal Collieries	145 140
R. C. Packers com.	5 50
Railway Patents	5 50
C. N. P. Fisheries	1 45
Capital Furnishings	4 40
North Shore Ironworks	47 45
S. S. Island-Creamery	7 60
Viet. Phoenix-Brew.	135 130
R. C. Perm. Loan	135 130
Donington Trust Co.	120 115
G. W. Perm. (a)	134 130
Stewart Land	5 50
B. C. Copper	4 25
Granby	72 70
Coronation	31 30
Lucky Jim Zinc	16 15
Nugget Gold	30 28
Fraser Carbon	130 125
Standard Lead	73 70
Chaparral Creek	60 58
Portland Canal	11 10
Red Cliff	75 70
Stewart M. & D.	10 9
Snowstorm	5 50
Isle of the North	4 50
American Marconi	5 50
Canadian Marconi	4 50
Sales—2nd North	135 130
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**CLEARING HOUSE.**  
Members' Average. Decrease.  
Loans ..... 1,865,000  
Specie ..... 10,100,000  
Legals ..... 374,000  
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**CHICAGO CATTLE MARKET.**  
Chicago, Nov. 30.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,200; market steady; beefs, \$5.60-11.00; Texas steers, \$4.60-5.75; Western steers, \$5.50-6.00; and heifers, \$2.50-6.75; calves, \$5.50-10.25.  
Hogs—Receipts, 12,000; market steady; light, \$6.00-7.50; heavy, \$7.00-7.50; rough, \$5.00-6.00; pigs, \$5.00-7.50; bulk of sales, \$7.00-7.50.  
Sheep—Receipts, 5,000; market strong; native, \$3.50-4.75; Western, \$4.00-4.50; yearlings, \$3.00-3.50; lambs—Native, \$5.75-7.00; Western, \$5.00-7.00.

**FINANCIAL NOTES.**  
Berlin wheat closed a higher; Antwerp 11 higher; Paris unchanged to 11 higher; Budapest 1 lower; Liverpool 1 higher.  
Boston, Nov. 30.—La Rose reports for October total income, \$52,541.  
Chicago, Nov. 30.—Cash wheat and oats in store about December price.  
Earnings, Reading, for October, net, all companies, \$2,986,941; increase \$1,056,543.  
Minneapolis, Nov. 30.—Cash wheat steady to firmer, good general demand, but moderate flour sales, little for export, but on close margin.

**NEW YORK SUGAR.**  
New York, Nov. 30.—Raw sugar firm; Muscovado, 90 test, \$13.50; centrifugal, 96 test, \$14.50; molasses sugar, 90 test, \$13.00; refined sugar, quiet; crushed, \$5.00; granulated, fine, \$4.50; powdered, \$5.00.

**WHEAT FEATURES  
FRACTION LOWER**

Crop Injury Reported in Argentine Provinces—Liverpool Firm as Result

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)  
Chicago, Nov. 30.—Without any decisive feature in the news for the day, and with less than the usual display of leadership in the trade, wheat futures closed a fraction lower for December and a fraction higher for May. Instead of trying to support wheat prices on political rumors from the other side as on previous days, the bull forces gave more attention to the crop damage news from Argentine provinces. Some of the cables are claiming ten per cent. injury to the crop in Cordoba and Santa Fe, and making no estimate on the injury in other provinces. On the whole, the trade does not regard the damage talk from that quarter as at all important. It was sufficient to give Liverpool some firmness at the close, but had little influence here.

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January	.....	19.25	19.32	19.17	19.27
February	.....	18.00	18.62	18.55	18.57
Lard	.....				
January	.....	16.65	16.67	16.62	16.65
February	.....	16.20	16.22	16.17	16.18
Short Ribs	.....				
January	.....	10.41	20.27	10.12	10.30
February	.....	9.56	9.55	9.52	9.50
May	.....	%	%	%	%

**NEW YORK COTTON MARKET.**

		Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
January	.....	12.63	12.73	12.50	12.70
February	.....	12.67	12.75	12.52	12.70
March	.....	12.75	12.83	12.69	12.78
April	.....	12.80	12.87	12.69	12.78
May	.....	12.86	12.95	12.85	12.88
June	.....	12.86	12.95	12.85	12.88
July	.....	12.95	13.02	12.88	12.91
August	.....	12.95	13.02	12.88	12.91
September	.....	12.95	13.02	12.88	12.91
October	.....	12.81	12.84	12.80	12.81
November	.....	12.51	12.53	12.49	12.50
December	.....	%	%	%	%

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total of approximately one hundred  
and fifty celebrated in honor of St.  
Andrew, patron saint of Scotland, at  
the Empress hotel last evening. The  
banquet was declared to have been  
one of the most enjoyable in the history  
of the organization.

From the moment the veteran pres-  
ident, P. J. Riddell, took the chair to a  
fitting air on the bagpipes, until Auld  
Lang Syne was sung in the small  
hours of the morning, high spirits  
flowed and the name of Auld Scotia  
was not for a moment forgotten.

It was intended that the dinner  
should be the chief feature of the joy-  
ous event, and it was. The menu was  
so cunningly arranged that even the  
most retrogressive Scotch appetite was  
stirred into full tide, and frequent com-  
ments were heard to the effect that  
never had the society sat down to such  
a notable repast. The menu was fear-  
fully and wonderfully constructed.

Starting with Athol Brose, it wound  
its way through a maze of Cocklepie,  
minced collops and champit tates to  
crozet tairs. The whole was an un-  
qualified success, as was established  
by the fact that an interpreter had to  
be called to translate the terms into  
phrases that could be comprehended  
by those who had been exiles from  
Scotland long enough to dull their  
memories. The crowning moment was  
reached when the haggis was borne in.

It was greeted with cheers and fond  
affection, and not a few could not re-  
frain from welcoming the great dish  
from posts on the table-tops.

Among those at the head table were:  
Hon. Dr. Young, provincial secretary  
and minister of education; Mayor  
Beckwith, H. R. Thomson, M. P.;  
Magistrate Jay, Capt. Chambers, R.  
W. Douglas, Fleet Surgeon Home, Rev.  
Major Scott Moncrieff, Dr. D. Donald  
and E. B. Paul. Telegrams of felicita-  
tion, couched in the proper Gaelic  
terms, were received from St. Andrew's  
Society, Winnipeg; St. Andrew's So-  
ciety, Calgary; St. Andrew's Society,  
Montreal; and St. Andrew's Society,  
Hamilton.

In proposing the toast to the King,  
President Riddell made reference to  
the unwavering loyalty of the Scot in  
whatever part of the world his lot was  
cast. In introducing the toast to the  
President of the United States, he said  
that situation there at present was  
double-barrelled, but that there was  
evidence that the next four years  
would show forth a man of excellent  
discretion in Mr. Wilson.

Responding, Dr. G. L. Milne declared  
that it was eminently natural that Mr.  
Wilson should be a success at the head  
of the republic. He was of Scotch  
descent and had relatives living in  
Glasgow. That alone was sufficient.  
In proposing the toast in honor of the  
Governor-General, the Lieutenant-Gov-  
ernor and the Parliament of Cana-  
da, Dr. Milne stated that in the Duke  
of Connaught Canadians had found an  
admirable combination of tact and  
good sense. It had sometimes been  
said that the King was a figure head  
in British affairs; but the King stood  
for all the British had taught them-  
selves of constitutional liberty.

Hon. Dr. Young reminded his hearers  
that Scotchmen had always been  
loyal to constituted authority. In the  
Duke of Connaught, the King had an  
able representative of that authority.  
His great love of Canada had indicat-  
ed his desire to know as much of the  
land as possible, and to learn at first  
hand that the people of Canada were  
as loyal as those in any part of the  
Empire. He paid a warm tribute to  
the Lieutenant-Governor for wisdom,  
farsightedness and singleness of in-  
terest in the welfare of the province.

With regard to the legislature he felt  
constrained to admit that the members  
were pretty much all of one color. He  
could not say whether that was the  
best thing or not, but he could say  
that all were working for the advance-  
ment of the province. The legislature  
was constituted by men whom the peo-  
ple had picked out, and he felt con-  
vinced that all the members were  
working conscientiously to fulfill their  
duty. Nine years in public life had in-  
dicated to him the excellent calibre of  
our public men.

That the progress of British Colum-  
bia had been phenomenal during the  
past few years was the declaration of  
H. B. Thomson, M. P. P. In responding  
to the same toast, from 1905 to 1911  
the exports and imports had increased  
over \$42,000,000. In the next five years  
a total of 2,500 miles of railways would  
be completed at an outlay of over \$145-  
000,000. All this was being done with  
a population of less than 500,000. The  
progress was remarkable, but it must  
be remembered that the province had  
had a very fortunate commencement in  
first being named New Caledonia.

Dr. D. Donald, proposing the toast  
to "The land we left and the land we  
live in," pointed out that long ago  
Scotland had given England a King  
who ruled over the united countries.  
Scotland had been mostly ruling Eng-  
land ever since. Lord Strathcona and  
Lord Mount Stephen were names that  
all Canadians could honor. Responding,  
Rev. Dr. Campbell stated there was  
not a country on earth in which  
Scotchmen could not be found. He felt  
that we ought to have a navy on the  
Pacific Coast. We did not wish to go  
to the Atlantic for our defence. When  
we could defend ourselves, we would  
be able to say with force.

"My foot is on my native heath,  
My name it is McGregor."

A call for deep thought in choosing  
next year's mayor and council was  
sounded by Mayor Beckwith, in re-  
sponding to the health of the Mayor  
and Council, proposed by E. B. Paul.  
The time was not one for pessimists.  
No one but optimists should be elected  
as the city was on the threshold of a  
great time in its history. Men were  
required who could look into the fu-  
ture and see the destiny of Victoria  
and shape its course to the utmost ad-  
vantage.

Capt. Chambers, responding to the  
toast to "Our Guests," which was pro-  
posed by Dr. G. L. Milne in the ab-  
sence of E. C. Smith, said he wished  
to see a Highland regiment in Vic-  
toria soon. There were many Scotch-  
men, who were more at home in a  
kilted unit than in any other. He was  
in complete agreement with the senti-  
ments expressed by Earl Roberts in  
his Manchester speech. The way to  
avoid war was by being prepared for  
it.

"The day and all who honor it" was  
spoken to by A. G. Smith and Rev. Dr.  
Clay. Interspersed during the even-  
ing were songs by Messrs. Taylor,  
McIntosh, McKenzie, Gidd and J. G.  
Brown.

### LABOR TEMPLE MEETING.

Annual Meeting of Shareholders Held  
Last Evening—Future of Scheme  
Under Consideration.

There was a lengthy discussion at  
the annual meeting of the Victoria  
Labor Temple Company last evening  
on the future of the building. The  
directors were asked by resolution to  
decide whether upon a scheme to com-  
mence building by a loan upon the  
site, or else to consider the advan-  
tage of selling the Pandora avenue site,  
and selecting one less expensive. The  
site is valued at \$27,500, and \$5,500 is  
due upon the lot. An energetic cam-  
paign will be undertaken to dispose of  
further stock in the company.

As the maximum amount of stock  
under the articles of association, 200  
shares valued at \$1,000, is already in  
the possession of one business man,  
the shareholders did not raise objec-  
tion to further sales of stock among  
persons outside the ranks of organized  
labor.

New directors were elected: A.  
Watchman, G. A. Caldwell, A. R.  
Sherk, C. Sivertz, E. Gillingham, P. J.  
Perrott, E. A. Holmwood, T. H. Nor-  
ris, J. Lucas, J. L. Martin, J. D. War-  
ren, H. J. Sheen, J. Culross, A. A. Mil-  
lican, H. O. Ballinger. The president,  
vice-president, secretary and other  
officers will be elected at a future  
meeting of the directors.

There were nine births in Prince Rupert  
during October and two deaths.

## THE GREAT VALUE OF B. C. FORESTS

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Out of Forests

Outside of the agricultural lands,  
those under water covered with snow,  
or still unexplored, it is estimated that  
there is in British Columbia an area of  
65,000,000 acres capable of producing  
merchantable timber. R. L. Benedict,  
chief of operation in the Forest Branch,  
stated recently that the amount of  
wood annually added to the standing  
forests through the natural process of  
growth, is 100 feet per acre. Hence  
it would appear that six and a half  
billion feet of timber is being added  
as interest to the wood capital every  
year.

This is an amount considerably  
greater than that of all the lumber cut  
in the Dominion in the year 1910.

Mr. Benedict places the value of this  
growth roughly at \$100,000,000 per an-  
num, but benefits in excess of this  
amount will certainly accrue. At the  
present time, when only one-quarter of  
the annual growth is being cut, the  
returns to the community are over  
\$25,000,000 a year. The circulation of  
new wealth in the Province is the fac-  
tor which is playing a more important  
part than any other in developing this  
great West.

But there is one essential. Fire  
must be kept out of the forests. A dry  
season and a little carelessness might  
combine at any time to sweep a great  
part of the greatest of the Province's  
resources out of existence. The efforts  
of all the fire rangers in the Province  
would be of no avail if a really large  
fire got under way. It is by care every  
day in the year that every citizen can  
help to reduce the fire-loss, and build  
strong the basis of his own prosperity.

## SUPERVISION PROBLEM BOUND TO ARISE SOON

Building By-law and the Mov-  
ing Picture Show—Inspection  
of Buildings

With the construction of the new  
picture theatre on Yates street under  
the building by-law, it is inevitable  
that the city council will be called  
upon next year to see whether the ex-  
isting theatre will not have to be  
modernized. The difficulty is not that  
the owners are unwilling to comply,  
but that it is impossible to do so, owing  
to the limited space. A sale of a  
house to a Vancouver firm would have  
taken place last week, but for the fact  
that when improvements were mooted  
to the city officials they advised the  
would-be purchaser that it would be  
impossible to make the alterations in  
conformity with the by-law. One prin-  
cipal difficulty is to provide on either  
side of the house lanes with access to  
the street into which the exits empty  
direct. Some at present have exits at  
the rear.

The qualifications of the moving pic-  
ture operators also concern the houses,  
in view of the withdrawal of the  
amendment of the by-law regulating  
them, and some of the owners have ex-  
pressed the desire that the test by an  
expert city official should be made in  
their own interests. The subject is one  
deserving careful attention by the  
municipal authorities.

### APPEALS TO VICTORIA.

Information From Victoria Wanted in  
Connection With Mayoralty Con-  
test in Edmonton.

In connection with the mayoralty  
campaign in Edmonton, the city en-  
gineer yesterday received three wires  
from various public men in the Al-  
bertan capital asking for information  
as to the amount of paving Victoria  
was laying this year, and the class of  
material in use.

The commissioners of Edmonton are  
on the defensive, declaring that no  
shoddy work has been put in, and  
there is no intention of changing the  
method of inspection. Tenders are  
now invited for 400,000 yards of as-  
phalt and bituminous paving, and  
there are also 100,000 yards reserved  
for a proposed municipal plant. As  
the commissioners propose to let the  
contract before the new city adminis-  
tration takes office next month, much  
is being made of the situation in the  
contest between ex-Mayor Shortt and  
Mr. Magrath, the other candidate for  
the mayoralty.

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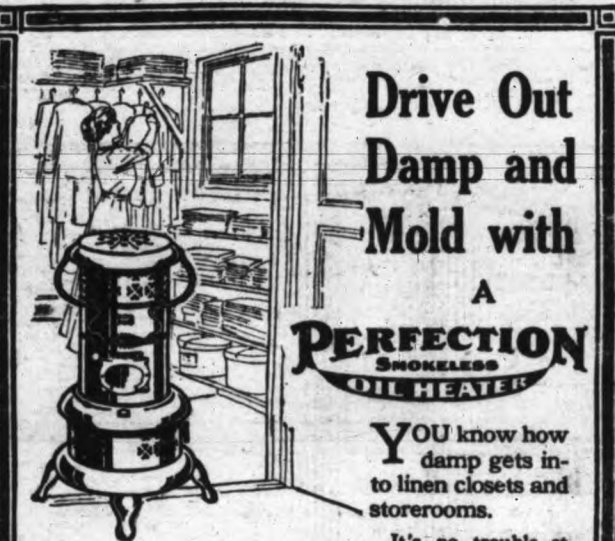
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